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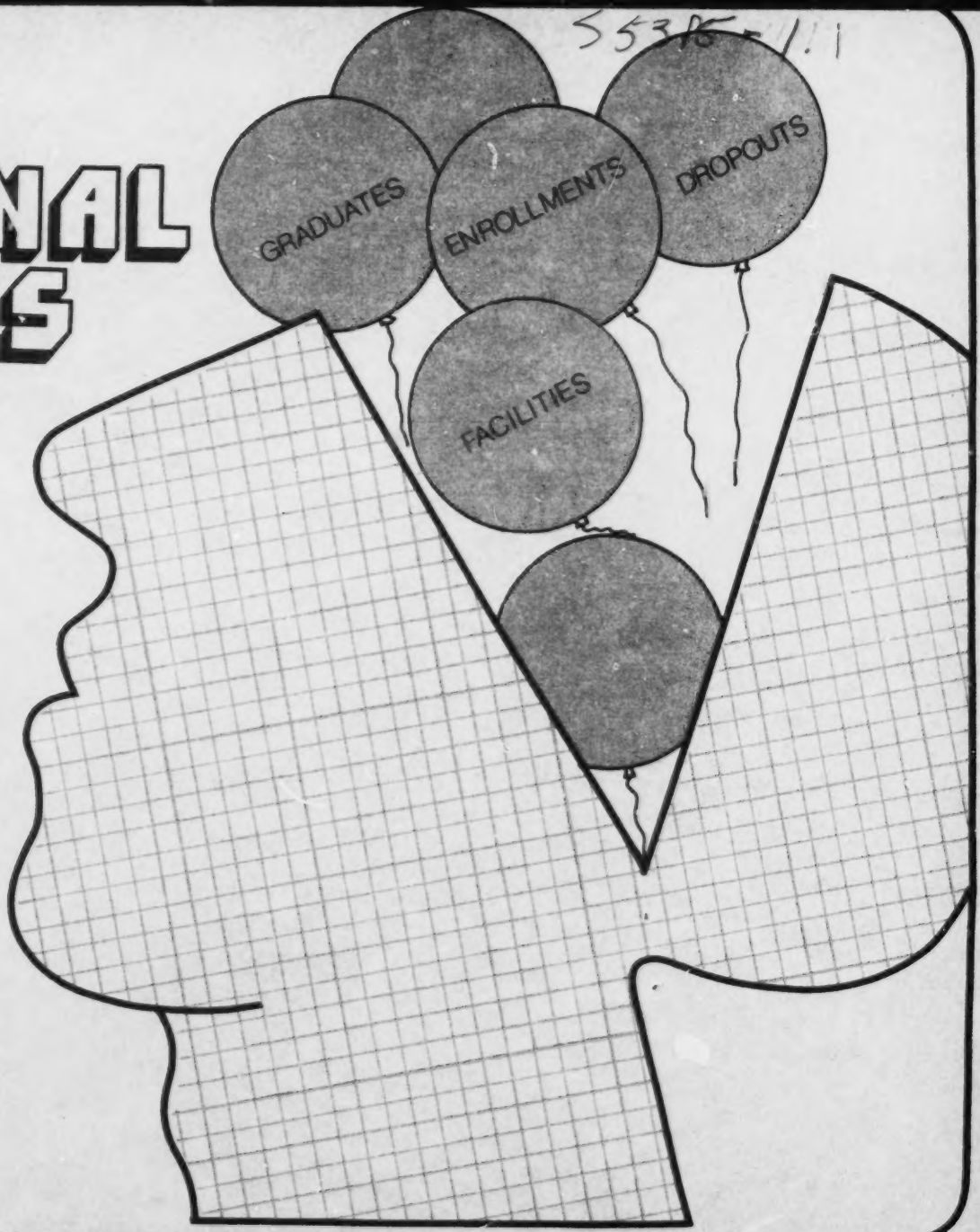


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# INTRODUCTION

The 1978-79 edition of Vital Educational Statistics is the fifth in a series which began in 1974-75. It is also the second year of a new series that used data derived from re-designed instruments supported by detailed and illustrated instructions, and, a glossary of standard terms and definitions. It is also the first year of a division of the publication into two volumes. This Volume, (I) contains school district and school data, enrollments, dropouts, graduates and facilities data. Volume II will be devoted to certificated and non-certificated staff information.

This publication includes several tables that appear for the first time in the series: A table on enrollments in the Educational Improvement Centers, (E.I.C.'s) and a table on student suspensions and expulsions. The table on suspensions and expulsions reflects data for the 1977-78 school year.

Each of the three sections (school districts and schools; students, and facilities) contains a statement outlining the various State and Federal requirements mandating the data collections; and, statements detailing the manner in which the data are to be used.

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# SECTION I

# DISTRICT AND SCHOOL INFORMATION

## DISTRICT AND SCHOOL INFORMATION

Section I, contains the following tables: Table I, Operating and Non-Operating Public School Districts; Table II, Enrollment Size of New Jersey Public School Districts; and Table III New Jersey Public Schools by Type of School.

Table I shows an increase in the number of districts from 610 to 613 in 1978-79. The increase was due to the formation of Educational Services Commissions two of which became operational and one remained non-operational. The growth in the number of districts reflects efforts to organize the delivery of educational services to meet the changing needs of target populations. Throughout this publication, data will be reported for only those 593 districts that were operational in 1978-79.

Table II is a tabular presentation of school district size in the most densely populated State in the nation. Three hundred and fifteen (315) districts have enrollments greater than 1,000 students. That number (315) is six (6) less than in 1977-78. Thirteen (13) districts have enrollments greater than 12,000 students. That is one (1) less than in 1977-78. Two hundred and seventy-eight (278) districts, (46 percent) have enrollments less than 1,000 students.

Table III is a summary of schools by school type. Column (12) shows a total of 2,443 public schools, a net decrease of 18 from the previous year. Of the total number of public schools (1978-79) 1,997 were elementary and 446 were secondary schools. Increases in school type (over 1977-78) were in the middle school category (an increase of 13), an increase of three (3) secondary schools for the handicapped and two (2) classified as "other". Decreases were primarily in the elementary school category and four (4) four-year high schools.

Counties reporting increases in the number of schools were: Atlantic, Cape May, Gloucester, and Warren. Six (6) counties reported no change in the number of schools. Each of the remaining counties (10) reported one or more fewer schools.

# TABLE I

## OPERATING AND NON-OPERATING NEWJERSEY PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS BY COUNTY SEPTEMBER 29, 1978

| COUNTY | NUMBER OF SCHOOL DISTRICTS | | TOTAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS | PERCENT OF TOTAL OPERATING SCHOOL DISTRICTS IN EACH COUNTY |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | OPERATING | NON-OPERATING | | |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) |
| Atlantic | 25 | 0 | 25 | 4.2 |
| Bergen | 75 | 2 | 77 | 12.6 |
| Burlington | 45 | 0 | 45 | 7.6 |
| Camden | 39 | 3 | 42 | 6.6 |
| Cape May | 17 | 2 | 19 | 2.9 |
| Cumberland | 16 | 0 | 16 | 2.7 |
| Essex | 22 | 0 | 22 | 3.7 |
| Gloucester | 28 | 0 | 28 | 4.7 |
| Hudson | 14 | 0 | 14 | 2.4 |
| Hunterdon | 29 | 0 | 29 | 4.9 |
| Mercer | 11 | 0 | 11 | 1.9 |
| Middlesex | 26 | 0 | 26 | 4.3 |
| Monmouth | 51 | 4 | 55 | 8.6 |
| Morris | 41 | 1 | 42 | 6.9 |
| Ocean | 28 | 2 | 30 | 4.7 |
| Passaic | 20 | 0 | 20 | 3.4 |
| Salem | 14 | 0 | 14 | 2.4 |
| Somerset | 20 | 3 | 23 | 3.4 |
| Sussex | 25 | 1 | 26 | 4.2 |
| Union | 23 | 0 | 23 | 3.9 |
| Warren | 24 | 2 | 26 | 4.0 |
| TOTAL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS | 593 | 20 | 613 | 100.0 |
| PERCENT OF PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS | 96.7 | 3.3 | 100.0 | |

TABLE II

**NEW JERSEY PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS**
**BY ENROLLMENT SIZE AND COUNTY**

SEPTEMBER 29, 1978

| COUNTY | 0 to 999 | 1000 to 1999 | 2000 to 2999 | 3000 to 3999 | 4000 to 4999 | 5000 to 5999 | 6000 to 6999 | 7000 to 7999 | 8000 to 8999 | 9000 to 9999 | 10,000 to 10,999 | 11,000 to 11,999 | 12,000 and OVER | Total Districts Operating Schools* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) |
| Atlantic | 14 | 5 | 3 | 2 | | | | | 1 | | | | | 25 |
| Bergen | 26 | 21 | 15 | 7 | 3 | 2 | 1 | | | | | | | 75 |
| Burlington | 23 | 10 | 5 | 4 | | 1 | | | 1 | | 1 | | | 45 |
| Camden | 19 | 8 | 6 | 1 | | 3 | | | | | | | 2 | 39 |
| Cape May | 12 | 3 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | 17 |
| Cumberland | 10 | 3 | | | 1 | | 1 | | | | | 1 | | 16 |
| Essex | 4 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 4 | | 1 | | | | 2 | 22 |
| Gloucester | 14 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 2 | | 1 | | | | | | | 28 |
| Hudson | 4 | 2 | 1 | | | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | | | | 1 | 14 |
| Hunterdon | 24 | 3 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | 29 |
| Mercer | 3 | | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | 2 | 11 |
| Middlesex | 6 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | | 1 | | 1 | | 1 | 2 | 26 |
| Monmouth | 25 | 12 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 3 | | 1 | | | | | 1 | 51 |
| Morris | 15 | 7 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 2 | | | | 1 | | | | 41 |
| Ocean | 16 | 4 | 2 | 2 | | 1 | 1 | | | | 1 | | 1 | 28 |
| Passaic | 5 | 7 | 3 | | | 1 | | | 2 | 1 | | | 1 | 20 |
| Salem | 9 | 2 | 2 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | 14 |
| Somerset | 6 | 8 | 3 | 1 | | 1 | | | 1 | | | | | 20 |
| Sussex | 16 | 6 | | 3 | | | | | | | | | | 25 |
| Union | 6 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 2 | | 1 | | | | 1 | 23 |
| Warren | 21 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | 24 |
| TOTAL | 278 | 117 | 70 | 44 | 18 | 22 | 13 | 3 | 8 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 13 | 593 |

*INCLUDES VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS RECEIVING ONLY SHARED TIME STUDENTS

# TABLE III

## NEWJERSEY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
## BY TYPE OF SCHOOL AND COUNTY
## SEPTEMBER 29, 1978

| COUNTY | ELEMENTARY | | SECONDARY | | | | | | SCHOOLS FOR THE HANDICAPPED | | TOTAL NUMBER OF SCHOOLS | PERCENT OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN EACH COUNTY |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS | MIDDLE SCHOOLS | APPROVED JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOLS | 3 YEAR | 4 YEAR | 6 YEAR | OTHER | VOCATIONAL | ELEMENTARY | SECONDARY | | |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) |
| Atlantic | 65 | 9 | | | 7 | | | 1 | 7 | | 89 | 3.7 |
| Bergen | 195 | 30 | 7 | 4 | 30 | 9 | 2 | 6 | 8 | 4 | 295 | 12.1 |
| Burlington | 95 | 14 | 2 | 3 | 13 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 138 | 5.7 |
| Camden | 129 | 10 | 5 | 4 | 10 | 3 | | 2 | 1 | 2 | 166 | 6.8 |
| Cape May | 20 | 3 | | | 3 | 1 | | 1 | 2 | | 30 | 1.2 |
| Cumberland | 53 | 3 | | 1 | 2 | | 3 | 1 | 3 | | 66 | 2.7 |
| Essex | 173 | 10 | 17 | 9 | 20 | | | 5 | 11 | | 245 | 10.0 |
| Gloucester | 62 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 6 | 4 | | 1 | 2 | | 86 | 3.5 |
| Hudson | 84 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 13 | 1 | | 2 | 3 | 1 | 108 | 4.4 |
| Hunterdon | 30 | 5 | | | 4 | 1 | | | | | 40 | 1.6 |
| Mercer | 62 | 9 | 7 | 3 | 5 | 1 | | 2 | 1 | 1 | 91 | 3.7 |
| Middlesex | 140 | 17 | 12 | 7 | 14 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 203 | 8.3 |
| Monmouth | 127 | 11 | 7 | 5 | 17 | 2 | | 1 | 1 | | 171 | 7.0 |
| Morris | 120 | 17 | | | 23 | | | 1 | 3 | | 164 | 6.7 |
| Ocean | 57 | 7 | | | 6 | 4 | | 4 | | | 78 | 3.2 |
| Passaic | 89 | 13 | 2 | 1 | 11 | | | 1 | 3 | | 120 | 4.9 |
| Salem | 24 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | | 2 | 1 | 1 | 38 | 1.6 |
| Somerset | 51 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 5 | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 78 | 3.2 |
| Sussex | 30 | 2 | | | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | 41 | 1.7 |
| Union | 109 | 14 | 12 | 7 | 8 | | 2 | 2 | 2 | | 156 | 6.4 |
| Warren | 31 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | | 1 | | | 40 | 1.6 |
| Total | 1,746 | 196 | 79 | 51 | 211 | 37 | 12 | 42 | 55 | 14 | 2,443 | 100.0 |
| Percent of School Types | 71.5 | 8.0 | 3.2 | 2.2 | 8.6 | 1.5 | 0.5 | 1.7 | 2.2 | 0.6 | 100.0 | |

# SECTION II

# STUDENT INFORMATION

# STUDENT INFORMATION

This section contains 1978-79 data related to student enrollments, dropouts, suspensions, expulsions, and high school graduate follow-up information. The 15 tables included in this section reflect data reported as of September 29, 1978. Tables have been added to show student enrollments in the Educational Improvement Centers (E.I.C.'s) and, students suspended and expelled.

## ENROLLMENTS

Table IV is a membership table i.e., pupils on roll during the last school day of September (1978). The data are reported for day school students and were compiled from individual school reports submitted by each district. The special education pupils (Col. 16) are students on roll in self-contained classrooms. The "mainstreamed" special education students have been reported with the regular students in their respective grade levels. There were 1,337,327 students on roll as of September 29, 1978.

All of the counties experienced some enrollment decline with the exception of Ocean County where a small increase was reported. During the five-year period, (1973-74 to 1978-79), 127 districts experienced an enrollment increase. The most substantial increases were reported by districts in the Counties of Atlantic, Burlington, Cape May, Cumberland, Essex, Gloucester, Hudson, Hunterdon, Mercer, Middlesex, Monmouth, Morris, Ocean, Passaic, Salem, Somerset, and Sussex.

When compared to last year, enrollment declines occurred in all grades with the exception of grades 3, 4, 12, and,special education students enrolled in self-contained classrooms. Enrollment projections indicate that the decline will continue into the next decade.

Table V consolidates enrollments in the various counties into regions coterminous with the Educational Improvement Centers (E.I.C.'s). The table shows that enrollments range from a high of 455,346 in the Northeast Region to 221,483 in the Southern Region. The Central Region serves 395,207 students and the Northwest Region serves 265,291 students at the elementary and secondary levels.

Table VI is the first of two tables separating students on roll into elementary and secondary school tables. On September 29, 1978 there were 827,978 elementary students on roll. This was 33,833 fewer students than reported during the fall of 1977. The elementary enrollment decline began approximately ten years ago (1968-69) in Union County, followed by Somerset and Middlesex in 1969-70, and Bergen, Essex and Passaic in 1970-71. By 1978-79 all counties reflected elementary school enrollment declines from peaks reached during the decade of the seventies.

Table VII shows that as of September 29, 1978 there were 509,349 secondary school students on roll in grades seven through 12. This was 10,368 fewer students than the number reported during the fall of 1977. According to the records of the Office of Management Information the decline in secondary enrollments began in 1971-72 in Union, Bergen, Essex and Cumberland Counties. However, the secondary school enrollment decline has not been experienced in all of the counties. Ocean County's secondary enrollments have continued to increase throughout the decade of the seventies. Secondary school enrollment increases (over last year (1977-78) were reported for Cape May, Cumberland, Hunterdon, Ocean, Sussex and Warren Counties.

Table VIII is the first of two (2) enrollment tables reflecting data by sex and "Minority" classifications. The data are by county with State totals. Additional detail on racial/ethnic data by school district, is available through Racial/Ethnic Enrollments and Dropouts 1978/79, a publication of the New Jersey Department of Education.

"Minority" is a composite of the racial/ethnic groups contained in Table IX, Columns four (4) to 11. Those groups are: Black, Hispanic, American Indian/Alaskan Native; and, Asian or Pacific Islander.

Of the total number of public school students enrolled, 25.9 percent were reported as Minority. This is an increase of .9 percent over last year when 25 percent were reported as Minority enrollments. Eight (8) counties exceeded the State average of 25.9 percent Minority: Hudson, 58.9 percent; Essex, 58.3 percent; Passaic, 39.4 percent; Cumberland, 37.0 percent; Union, 34.1 percent; and Camden 27.2 percent.

School districts that did not report Minority enrollments were located in Atlantic, Burlington, Camden, Cape May, Gloucester, Hunterdon, Middlesex, Monmouth, Ocean, Somerset, Sussex, Union and Warren.

Male student enrollments continued to exceed female enrollment by 2.4 percent.

Table IX data are reported by district in a publication titled, "New Jersey Public School Racial/Ethnic Information 1978/79." In this publication and table (Table IX), racial/ethnic data are reported by county. Of the total number of students enrolled Statewide, 74.1 percent were White; 17.6 were Black; 7.1 percent were Hispanic; 0.1 percent were American Indian or Alaskan Native; and 1.1 percent were Asian or Pacific Islander.

School districts that reported 50 percent or more minority students were located in thirteen counties.

## DROPOUTS

Table X is the first of three tables reporting dropouts from both the public elementary and secondary schools. The data contained in the table reports dropout "reasons" that are in conformity with Handbook V, Student and Pupil Accounting of the National Center for Education Statistics. Seventeen detailed explanations concerning "reasons" for discontinuing school have been consolidated into seven (7) "reasons" for reporting purposes. (See the report form in the appendix for the detail of the 17 reasons).

During the period September 1977 to August 1978 there were 22,118 dropouts reported by the public elementary and secondary schools. This was 278 more than the number reported last year. The data element titled, "New Residence: School Status Unknown", accounted for 2,681 students who had moved from the district and, their educational status (entry into another school) could not be determined. The number of students whose status remained in doubt, after moving from the district, increased from 1,653 in 1977-78 to 2,681 in 1978-79. The increase of 1,028 was attributable to all but four counties: Atlantic, Gloucester, Monmouth and Warren.

Three major areas (consolidated reasons) describe the reasons why students discontinue school: (1) behavorial or curricular, (2) economic or home influences, and (3) a category titled "other known or unknown" reasons. The detailed explanations incorporated into the behavorial or curricular category, (Col. 3) are items D5 to D10 on the survey instrument, (see appendix).

Economic or other home influences, (Col. 4) represents a consolidation of items D11 to D14. Column (5) "familial" is a combination of two items, married or pregnant. Column (7), other known or unknown reasons is a total of items D18 and D19.

Of the seven major reasons for discontinuing school, behavorial or curricular reasons were reported most frequently (8772) followed by economic or home influences, (6,772), and, other known or unknown reasons was third with 5,346. Physical illness, (284) and religious convictions (3) did not compute to a reportable percentage. Column 4, ecomomic and home influences, includes 5,915 students who were reported as employed.

Table XI carries two basic dropout categories: dropouts by grade and by sex. Ninety-three percent of the dropouts were from the high school grades nine to 12. Three grades accounted for the majority of dropouts: grades 11, 10 and 12 respectively. Of the 22,118 dropouts, 4,866 were twelfth graders.

Male dropouts continued to out-number female dropouts, and, the percent of dropouts for each sex remained relatively the same as last year. Gloucester County could not determine the status of eight (8) dropouts who had moved. Essex County could not determine the status of 361 dropouts who had moved.

Table XII is a report of the State's public school dropouts by racial/ethnic origin. Compared to 1976-77 the White student dropout population increased to 64.3 percent of all dropouts; the Black student population decreased from approximately 27 percent to 25.4 percent of all dropouts, and the Hispanic dropout population remained at 10 percent of all dropouts. Statewide, the American Indian or Alaskan Native dropouts were one-tenth of one percent. The Asian or Pacific Islander group computed to two-tenths of one percent.

The latter two groups (American Indian/Alaskan Native and Asian/Pacific Islander) accounted for 61 dropouts statewide. The White, Black and Hispanic dropouts were 99.7 percent of all dropouts appearing in Table XII.

The counties with the larger enrollments also reported the majority of dropouts. Counties with 1,000 or more dropouts were: Essex, Passaic, Hudson, Monmouth, Middlesex, Bergen, Camden, Ocean, Union, Mercer, Burlington and Cumberland respectively. Warren County reported 286 dropouts; Sussex 258; Salem 237; and Hunterdon 180.

Table XII shows that when we classify dropouts as "Minority" we are describing primarily Black and Hispanic students. Of the 35.7 percent of "Minority" dropouts, 35.4 percent were Black and Hispanic students. Minority dropouts declined from 37.2 percent of all dropouts in 1976-77 to 35.7 percent in 1977-78.

Table XIII pupils suspended and expelled, appears for the first time in the Vital Educational Statistics series. Column 7 shows the total number of students suspended (84,918) from school between September 1977 to August 1978. Column (10) shows the number of students expelled (86) from school between September 1977 to August 1978.

One third of the counties reported slightly in excess of one half of the pupils suspended from school. Ranked from high to low those counties were: Middlesex, Monmouth, Union, Essex, Camden, Bergen and Passaic. When counties are ranked in terms of their suspension rates a different picture emerges. Ranking the counties in terms of suspension rates, places Cumberland and Salem first with rates of 12.2 and 12 percent respectively. At the other end of the array, Essex and Bergen Counties reported suspensions at 4.1 percent of the students on roll. Statewide, the average 1977-78 suspension rate was 6.3 percent of the students on roll.

Of the 84,918 pupils suspended (each pupil was counted once) 58,297 (68.7 percent) were White and 26,621 (31.3 percent) were minority students. Male students were suspended more frequently than female students. Of all pupils suspended 69.6 percent were male and 30.4 percent were female.

Instructions to respondents asked for student suspensions "from school" and not a report of detentions or reassignments within school for minor disciplinary reasons.

## GRADUATES

The five tables in the "follow-up of graduates" series was developed from follow-up studies conducted by the public secondary schools during the fall of 1978. Table XIV is a basic table with data on those graduates who continued their education and those who were employed, or, engaged in some other endeavor. Table XV expands the "continuing education", "not continuing education" dichotomy to reflect gender. Table XVI is a composite of all graduates by sex and the location of graduates within or outside the State. The last two tables, (17 and 18) contain the racial/ethnic composition of graduates and the racial/ethnic composition of those who continued education at a college or university.

Table XIV shows that 97,079 students graduated from New Jersey public high schools in 1978. That number was 316 less than reported in 1977. Approximately 61 percent of the graduates continued their education and 39 percent did not continue with their education.

The percentages appear to be consistent with the data reported for the last four years. Present projections indicate that the number of public high school graduates will have peaked at the close of the present decade. In the beginning of the 1980's, and for several years into the decade, graduates are projected at the 95,000 level. In the middle of the decade a gradual decline is expected.

Approximately 73 percent of the graduates not continuing their education reported they were employed.

Table XV shows that Statewide, female graduates continue their education in numbers greater than males, and, male graduates not continuing their education exceed the females. Seven (7) counties exceeded the Statewide percent of graduates continuing with some form of education. The remaining counties (14) exceeded the Statewide percent of graduates not continuing education.

Table XVI is a report of the location of public high school graduates at the time the follow-up surveys were conducted by the individual high schools. Of the total of 97,079 graduates, 70,987 (73 percent) were located in New Jersey. Approximately 27 percent of the graduates were located out-of-state.

Statewide, female graduates exceeded male graduates by 1,493. County by county, the ratio of male and female graduates to the total of all graduates, was very similar to the statewide average of 49.2 percent male and 50.8 percent female.

Table XVII is a racial/ethnic distribution of New Jersey's public high school graduates. Of the 97,079 graduates 16.4 percent were classified as minority. That percentage was one percent greater than reported in 1977. Nine counties exceeded the statewide average of 16.4 percent of minority graduates. They were Hudson, 45.9 percent (an increase of 8.4 percent over 1977) Essex 38.5 percent, Atlantic 27.9 percent, Cumberland 26.5 percent, Mercer 22.5 percent, Salem 21.3 percent, Union 21.0 percent, Passaic 20.9 percent, and Burlington 17.4 percent.

Twelve percent (12.1) of the graduates were Black, 3.7 percent were Hispanic and the remaining minority groups accounted for approximately one half of one percent of all graduates.

Table XVIII is the racial/ethnic distribution of public high school graduates who had continued their education at at college or university. Of the 50,431 graduates continuing their education at a college or university, 5,047 (10 percent) were Black, 1,534 (3.0 percent) were Hispanic, 425 (0.8 percent) were Asian or Pacific Islander and 16 were American Indian or Alaskan Native.

Of the 50,431 graduates at a college or university 29,466 were matriculating in New Jersey (an increase of 388 over 1977). Graduates attending out-of-state colleges were 41.6 percent of the total or 20,965 in number.

Comparison of Selected High School Graduate Data

| Data Element | 1977-78 | 1978-79 |
|---|---|---|
| Total High School Graduates | 97,395 | 97,079 |
| Continuing Education | 58,971 | 58,845 |
| Not Continuing Education | 38,424 | 38,234 |
| Graduates Located In-State | 71,020 | 70,987 |
| Graduates Located Out-of-State | 26,375 | 26,092 |
| Racial/Ethnic Composition: | | |
| White | 82,383 | 81,179 |
| Black | 11,419 | 11,705 |
| Hispanic | 3,106 | 3,589 |
| American Indian Alaskan Native or Pacific Islander | 487 | 606 |

## TABLE IV

### STUDENT ENROLLMENTS IN NEW JERSEY PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS BY GRADE AND COUNTY

SEPTEMBER 29, 1978

| COUNTY | PRE-KINDER-GARTEN | KINDER-GARTEN | GRADE 1 | GRADE 2 | GRADE 3 | GRADE 4 | GRADE 5 | GRADE 6 | GRADE 7 | GRADE 8 | GRADE 9 | GRADE 10 | GRADE 11 | GRADE 12 | SPECIAL EDUCA-TION | POST-GRADU-ATES | UN-GRADED | TOTAL | Percent of Students Enrolled in Each County |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) |
| Atlantic | 67 | 2,207 | 2,493 | 2,666 | 2,744 | 2,538 | 2,661 | 2,676 | 2,933 | 2,890 | 3,031 | 2,827 | 2,654 | 2,371 | 658 | 152 | 436 | 38,004 | 2.7 |
| Bergen | 351 | 6,792 | 7,580 | 8,347 | 9,323 | 9,335 | 9,381 | 9,980 | 10,520 | 11,159 | 12,994 | 12,787 | 12,710 | 13,126 | 3,332 | | 164 | 137,881 | 10.3 |
| Burlington | 349 | 4,484 | 4,559 | 5,306 | 5,296 | 5,005 | 5,053 | 5,325 | 5,475 | 5,844 | 6,650 | 6,448 | 5,981 | 5,613 | 2,172 | 54 | 5 | 73,619 | 5.5 |
| Camden | 455 | 5,665 | 6,172 | 6,491 | 6,668 | 6,266 | 6,207 | 6,370 | 6,810 | 6,971 | 7,830 | 7,295 | 6,890 | 6,693 | 3,263 | 17 | 296 | 90,349 | 6.8 |
| Cape May | 42 | 767 | 745 | 668 | 895 | 852 | 868 | 918 | 959 | 1,097 | 1,226 | 1,021 | 909 | 908 | 131 | | 1 | 12,207 | .9 |
| Cumberland | 362 | 1,774 | 1,981 | 2,114 | 2,025 | 1,929 | 1,907 | 1,949 | 2,246 | 2,276 | 2,471 | 2,286 | 2,207 | 1,826 | 973 | 113 | 879 | 29,318 | 2.2 |
| Essex | 507 | 8,616 | 10,184 | 10,893 | 11,129 | 11,138 | 10,872 | 11,122 | 12,220 | 12,085 | 14,257 | 12,361 | 10,609 | 9,874 | 3,552 | 2 | 2,657 | 152,078 | 11.4 |
| Gloucester | 78 | 2,531 | 2,472 | 2,642 | 2,758 | 2,497 | 2,799 | 2,958 | 2,915 | 3,142 | 3,666 | 3,355 | 3,189 | 2,985 | 1,071 | | 965 | 40,023 | 3.0 |
| Hudson | 6 | 5,468 | 5,835 | 5,910 | 6,037 | 5,830 | 5,788 | 5,962 | 6,224 | 5,863 | 7,471 | 6,583 | 5,678 | 5,216 | 3,208 | 13 | 795 | 81,897 | 6.1 |
| Hunterdon | | 1,015 | 1,201 | 1,291 | 1,445 | 1,517 | 1,423 | 1,585 | 1,444 | 1,618 | 1,722 | 1,651 | 1,703 | 1,613 | 201 | 18 | 1 | 19,448 | 1.4 |
| Mercer | 61 | 3,218 | 3,469 | 3,824 | 3,927 | 3,814 | 3,753 | 3,857 | 4,103 | 4,092 | 4,331 | 4,461 | 3,894 | 3,564 | 1,368 | | | 51,736 | 3.9 |
| Middlesex | 464 | 5,855 | 6,482 | 6,973 | 7,402 | 7,402 | 7,308 | 7,745 | 8,419 | 8,647 | 10,172 | 9,713 | 9,285 | 9,001 | 2,171 | 1 | 642 | 107,682 | 8.0 |
| Monmouth | 273 | 5,543 | 6,082 | 6,781 | 7,257 | 7,125 | 6,989 | 7,337 | 7,648 | 8,222 | 8,903 | 8,603 | 8,102 | 7,556 | 1,775 | | 1,471 | 99,647 | 7.5 |
| Morris | 9 | 4,598 | 4,845 | 5,480 | 5,983 | 5,986 | 5,943 | 6,397 | 6,783 | 7,007 | 7,465 | 7,200 | 7,144 | 6,939 | 1,426 | 3 | 955 | 84,163 | 6.3 |
| Ocean | | 4,417 | 4,676 | 5,036 | 4,931 | 4,756 | 4,435 | 4,556 | 4,763 | 5,034 | 5,165 | 5,168 | 4,641 | 4,051 | 894 | | | 62,523 | 4.7 |
| Passaic | 232 | 5,029 | 5,451 | 5,846 | 6,099 | 5,825 | 5,791 | 6,052 | 6,216 | 6,448 | 6,368 | 6,293 | 5,821 | 5,445 | 2,260 | 53 | 55 | 79,282 | 5.9 |
| Salem | 15 | 836 | 954 | 994 | 971 | 968 | 970 | 920 | 1,002 | 1,037 | 1,230 | 1,179 | 1,040 | 1,021 | 410 | | 15 | 13,582 | 1.0 |
| Somerset | 44 | 1,909 | 2,209 | 2,482 | 2,607 | 2,769 | 2,687 | 2,875 | 3,085 | 3,328 | 4,000 | 3,830 | 3,764 | 3,768 | 847 | 3 | | 40,207 | 3.0 |
| Sussex | | 1,648 | 1,821 | 1,954 | 1,964 | 1,993 | 1,800 | 1,848 | 1,884 | 1,937 | 2,108 | 1,971 | 1,898 | 1,693 | 603 | | | 25,122 | 1.9 |
| Union | 411 | 4,397 | 5,089 | 5,547 | 5,837 | 5,867 | 5,715 | 5,837 | 6,375 | 6,718 | 7,578 | 7,711 | 7,293 | 7,280 | 1,834 | 1 | | 83,490 | 6.2 |
| Warren | | 1,136 | 1,269 | 1,306 | 1,283 | 1,309 | 1,244 | 1,296 | 1,320 | 1,347 | 1,412 | 1,365 | 1,270 | 1,168 | 344 | | | 17,069 | 1.3 |
| TOTAL | 3,726 | 77,905 | 85,569 | 92,751 | 96,581 | 94,731 | 93,574 | 97,565 | 103,344 | 106,760 | 120,050 | 114,118 | 106,682 | 101,711 | 32,493 | 430 | 9,337 | 1,337,327 | 100.0 |
| Percent of Students Enrolled by Grade | .3 | 5.8 | 6.4 | 7.0 | 7.2 | 7.1 | 7.0 | 7.3 | 7.7 | 8.0 | 9.0 | 8.5 | 8.0 | 7.6 | 2.4 | 0.0 | .7 | 100.0 | |

TABLE V

ENROLLMENTS BY
REGION (EDUCATIONAL IMPROVEMENT
CENTERS), COUNTY AND GRADE
SEPTEMBER 29, 1978

| REGIONS AND COUNTIES | PRE-K | K | GRADE 1 | GRADE 2 | GRADE 3 | GRADE 4 | GRADE 5 | GRADE 6 | GRADE 7 | GRADE 8 | GRADE 9 | GRADE 10 | GRADE 11 | GRADE 12 | SPECIAL EDUCATION | POST-GRAD. | UN-GRADED | TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) |
| Northeast (Code 1) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bergen | 351 | 6,792 | 7,580 | 8,347 | 9,323 | 9,335 | 9,381 | 9,980 | 10,520 | 11,159 | 12,994 | 12,787 | 12,710 | 13,126 | 3,332 | | 164 | 137,881 |
| Essex | 507 | 8,616 | 10,184 | 10,893 | 11,129 | 11,138 | 10,872 | 11,122 | 12,220 | 12,085 | 14,257 | 12,361 | 10,609 | 9,874 | 3,552 | 2 | 2,657 | 152,078 |
| Hudson | 6 | 5,468 | 5,835 | 5,910 | 6,037 | 5,830 | 5,788 | 5,962 | 6,224 | 5,863 | 7,471 | 6,593 | 5,678 | 5,216 | 3,208 | 13 | 795 | 81,897 |
| Union | 411 | 4,397 | 5,089 | 5,547 | 5,837 | 5,867 | 5,715 | 5,837 | 6,375 | 6,718 | 7,578 | 7,711 | 7,293 | 7,280 | 1,834 | 1 | | 83,490 |
| Sub-Total | 1,275 | 25,273 | 28,688 | 30,697 | 32,326 | 32,170 | 31,756 | 32,901 | 35,339 | 35,825 | 42,300 | 39,452 | 36,290 | 35,496 | 11,926 | 16 | 3,616 | 455,346 |
| Northwest (Code 3) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hunterdon | | 1,015 | 1,201 | 1,291 | 1,445 | 1,517 | 1,423 | 1,585 | 1,444 | 1,618 | 1,722 | 1,651 | 1,703 | 1,613 | 201 | 18 | 1 | 19,448 |
| Morris | 9 | 4,598 | 4,845 | 5,480 | 5,983 | 5,986 | 5,943 | 6,397 | 6,783 | 7,007 | 7,465 | 7,200 | 7,144 | 6,939 | 1,426 | 3 | 955 | 84,163 |
| Passaic | 232 | 5,029 | 5,451 | 5,846 | 6,099 | 5,825 | 5,791 | 6,052 | 6,216 | 6,446 | 6,368 | 6,293 | 5,821 | 5,445 | 2,260 | 53 | 55 | 79,282 |
| Somerset | 44 | 1,909 | 2,209 | 2,482 | 2,607 | 2,769 | 2,687 | 2,875 | 3,085 | 3,328 | 4,000 | 3,830 | 3,764 | 3,768 | 847 | 3 | | 40,207 |
| Sussex | | 1,648 | 1,821 | 1,954 | 1,964 | 1,993 | 1,800 | 1,848 | 1,884 | 1,937 | 2,108 | 1,971 | 1,898 | 1,693 | 603 | | | 25,122 |
| Warren | | 1,136 | 1,269 | 1,306 | 1,283 | 1,309 | 1,244 | 1,296 | 1,320 | 1,347 | 1,412 | 1,365 | 1,270 | 1,168 | 344 | | | 17,069 |
| Sub-Total | 285 | 15,335 | 16,796 | 18,359 | 19,381 | 19,399 | 18,888 | 20,053 | 20,732 | 21,683 | 23,075 | 22,310 | 21,600 | 20,626 | 5,681 | 77 | 1,011 | 265,291 |
| Central (Code 5) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Burlington | 349 | 4,484 | 4,559 | 5,306 | 5,296 | 5,005 | 5,053 | 5,325 | 5,475 | 5,844 | 6,650 | 6,448 | 5,981 | 5,613 | 2,172 | 54 | 5 | 73,619 |
| Mercer | 61 | 3,218 | 3,469 | 3,824 | 3,927 | 3,814 | 3,753 | 3,857 | 4,103 | 4,092 | 4,331 | 4,461 | 3,894 | 3,564 | 1,368 | | | 51,736 |
| Middlesex | 464 | 5,855 | 6,482 | 6,973 | 7,402 | 7,402 | 7,308 | 7,745 | 8,419 | 8,647 | 10,172 | 9,713 | 9,285 | 9,001 | 2,171 | 1 | 642 | 107,682 |
| Monmouth | 273 | 5,543 | 6,082 | 6,781 | 7,257 | 7,125 | 6,969 | 7,337 | 7,648 | 8,222 | 8,903 | 8,603 | 8,102 | 7,556 | 1,775 | | 1,471 | 99,647 |
| Ocean | | 4,417 | 4,676 | 5,036 | 4,931 | 4,756 | 4,435 | 4,556 | 4,763 | 5,034 | 5,165 | 5,168 | 4,641 | 4,051 | 894 | | | 62,523 |
| Sub-Total | 1,147 | 23,517 | 25,268 | 27,920 | 28,81 | 28,102 | 27,518 | 28,820 | 30,408 | 31,839 | 35,221 | 34,393 | 31,903 | 29,785 | 8,380 | 55 | 2,118 | 395,207 |
| Southern (Code 7) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Atlantic | 67 | 2,207 | 2,493 | 2,666 | 2,744 | 2,538 | 2,661 | 2,676 | 2,933 | 2,890 | 3,031 | 2,827 | 2,654 | 2,371 | 658 | 152 | 436 | 36,004 |
| Camden | 455 | 5,665 | 6,172 | 6,491 | 6,668 | 6,256 | 6,207 | 6,370 | 6,810 | 6,971 | 7,830 | 7,295 | 6,890 | 6,693 | 3,263 | 17 | 296 | 90,349 |
| Cape May | 42 | 767 | 745 | 868 | 895 | 852 | 868 | 918 | 959 | 1,097 | 1,226 | 1,021 | 909 | 908 | 131 | | 1 | 12,207 |
| Cumberland | 362 | 1,774 | 1,981 | 2,114 | 2,025 | 1,929 | 1,907 | 1,949 | 2,246 | 2,276 | 2,471 | 2,286 | 2,207 | 1,826 | 973 | 113 | 879 | 29,318 |
| Gloucester | 78 | 2,531 | 2,472 | 2,642 | 2,758 | 2,497 | 2,799 | 2,958 | 2,915 | 3,142 | 3,666 | 3,355 | 3,189 | 2,985 | 1,071 | | 965 | 40,023 |
| Salem | 15 | 836 | 954 | 994 | 971 | 988 | 970 | 920 | 1,002 | 1,037 | 1,230 | 1,179 | 1,040 | 1,021 | 410 | | 15 | 13,582 |
| Sub-Total | 1,019 | 13,780 | 14,817 | 15,775 | 16,061 | 15,060 | 15,412 | 15,791 | 16,865 | 17,413 | 19,454 | 17,963 | 16,889 | 15,804 | 6,506 | 282 | 2,592 | 221,483 |
| STATE TOTAL | 3,726 | 77,905 | 85,569 | 92,751 | 96,581 | 94,731 | 93,574 | 97,565 | 103,344 | 106,760 | 120,050 | 114,118 | 106,682 | 101,711 | 32,493 | 430 | 9,337 | 1,337,327 |

TABLE VI

**ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ENROLLMENTS**
**IN NEW JERSEY PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS**
**BY GRADE AND COUNTY**
SEPTEMBER 29, 1978

| COUNTY | GRADE | | | | | | | | | | | | TOTAL | PERCENT OF STUDENTS ENROLLED IN EACH COUNTY |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | PRE-KINDER-GARTEN | KINDER-GARTEN | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | SPECIAL EDUCA-TION | UN-GRADED | | |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) |
| Atlantic | 67 | 2,207 | 2,493 | 2,666 | 2,744 | 2,538 | 2,661 | 2,676 | 2,933 | 2,890 | 458 | 436 | 24,769 | 3.0 |
| Bergen | 351 | 6,792 | 7,580 | 8,347 | 9,323 | 9,335 | 9,381 | 9,980 | 7,789 | 8,089 | 2,494 | 164 | 79,625 | 9.6 |
| Burlington | 349 | 4,484 | 4,559 | 5,306 | 5,296 | 5,005 | 5,053 | 5,325 | 5,001 | 4,401 | 1,488 | | 46,267 | 5.7 |
| Camden | 455 | 5,665 | 6,172 | 6,491 | 6,668 | 6,256 | 6,207 | 6,370 | 4,830 | 4,853 | 1,518 | 296 | 55,781 | 6.7 |
| Cape May | 42 | 767 | 745 | 868 | 895 | 852 | 868 | 918 | 903 | 1,035 | 131 | | 8,024 | 1.0 |
| Cumberland | 362 | 1,774 | 1,981 | 2,114 | 2,025 | 1,929 | 1,907 | 1,949 | 2,205 | 2,256 | 605 | 871 | 19,978 | 2.4 |
| Essex | 507 | 8,616 | 10,184 | 10,893 | 11,129 | 11,138 | 10,872 | 11,122 | 7,753 | 7,563 | 2,979 | 2,640 | 95,396 | 11.5 |
| Gloucester | 78 | 2,531 | 2,472 | 2,642 | 2,758 | 2,497 | 2,799 | 2,958 | 1,561 | 1,308 | 770 | 965 | 23,339 | 2.8 |
| Hudson | 6 | 5,468 | 5,835 | 5,910 | 6,037 | 5,830 | 5,788 | 5,962 | 5,979 | 5,225 | 2,380 | 733 | 55,153 | 6.7 |
| Hunterdon | | 1,015 | 1,201 | 1,291 | 1,445 | 1,517 | 1,423 | 1,585 | 1,367 | 1,521 | 137 | | 12,502 | 1.5 |
| Mercer | 61 | 3,218 | 3,469 | 3,824 | 3,927 | 3,814 | 3,753 | 3,857 | 2,554 | 2,041 | 913 | | 31,431 | 3.8 |
| Middlesex | 464 | 5,855 | 6,482 | 6,973 | 7,402 | 7,402 | 7,308 | 7,745 | 4,710 | 4,543 | 1,607 | 513 | 61,004 | 7.4 |
| Monmouth | 273 | 5,543 | 6,082 | 6,781 | 7,257 | 7,125 | 6,969 | 7,337 | 5,156 | 5,500 | 1,324 | 1,471 | 60,818 | 7.3 |
| Morris | 9 | 4,598 | 4,845 | 5,480 | 5,983 | 5,986 | 5,943 | 6,397 | 6,783 | 6,909 | 1,166 | 953 | 55,052 | 6.6 |
| Ocean | | 4,417 | 4,676 | 5,036 | 4,931 | 4,756 | 4,435 | 4,556 | 3,409 | 3,681 | 753 | | 40,650 | 4.9 |
| Passaic | 232 | 5,029 | 5,451 | 5,846 | 6,099 | 5,825 | 5,791 | 6,052 | 5,483 | 5,686 | 1,353 | 55 | 52,902 | 6.4 |
| Salem | 15 | 836 | 954 | 994 | 971 | 988 | 970 | 920 | 631 | 646 | 266 | 15 | 8,206 | 1.0 |
| Somerset | 44 | 1,909 | 2,209 | 2,482 | 2,607 | 2,769 | 2,687 | 2,875 | 2,176 | 2,393 | 545 | | 22,696 | 2.7 |
| Sussex | | 1,648 | 1,821 | 1,954 | 1,964 | 1,993 | 1,800 | 1,848 | 1,659 | 1,454 | 373 | | 16,514 | 2.0 |
| Union | 411 | 4,397 | 5,089 | 5,547 | 5,837 | 5,867 | 5,715 | 5,837 | 3,501 | 3,539 | 1,262 | | 47,002 | 5.7 |
| Warren | | 1,136 | 1,269 | 1,306 | 1,283 | 1,309 | 1,244 | 1,296 | 857 | 919 | 250 | | 10,869 | 1.3 |
| TOTAL | 3,726 | 77,905 | 85,569 | 92,751 | 96,581 | 94,731 | 93,574 | 97,565 | 77,240 | 76,452 | 22,772 | 9,112 | 827,978 | 100.0 |
| PERCENT OF STUDENTS ENROLLED BY GRADE | .5 | 9.4 | 10.3 | 11.2 | 11.7 | 11.4 | 11.3 | 11.8 | 9.3 | 9.2 | 2.8 | 1.1 | 100.0 | |

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TABLE VII
SECONDARY SCHOOL ENROLLMENTS
IN NEW JERSEY PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS
BY GRADE AND COUNTY
SEPTEMBER 29, 1978

| COUNTY | GRADE | | | | | | SPECIAL EDUCATION | UNGRADED | POST GRADUATE | TOTAL | PERCENT OF STUDENTS ENROLLED IN EACH COUNTY |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | | | | | |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) |
| Atlantic | | | 3,031 | 2,827 | 2,654 | 2,371 | 200 | | 152 | 11,235 | 2.2 |
| Bergen | 2,731 | 3,070 | 12,994 | 12,787 | 12,710 | 13,126 | 838 | | | 58,256 | 11.4 |
| Burlington | 474 | 1,443 | 6,650 | 6,448 | 5,981 | 5,613 | 684 | 5 | 54 | 27,352 | 5.4 |
| Camden | 1,980 | 2,118 | 7,830 | 7,295 | 6,890 | 6,693 | 1,745 | | 17 | 34,568 | 6.8 |
| Cape May | 56 | 62 | 1,226 | 1,021 | 909 | 908 | | 1 | | 4,183 | .8 |
| Cumberland | 41 | 20 | 2,471 | 2,286 | 2,207 | 1,826 | 368 | 8 | 113 | 9,340 | 1.8 |
| Essex | 4,467 | 4,522 | 14,257 | 12,361 | 10,609 | 9,874 | 573 | 17 | 2 | 56,682 | 11.1 |
| Gloucester | 1,354 | 1,834 | 3,666 | 3,355 | 3,189 | 2,985 | 301 | | | 16,684 | 3.3 |
| Hudson | 245 | 638 | 7,471 | 6,593 | 5,678 | 5,216 | 828 | 62 | 13 | 26,744 | 5.2 |
| Hunterdon | 77 | 97 | 1,722 | 1,651 | 1,703 | 1,613 | 64 | 1 | 18 | 6,946 | 1.4 |
| Mercer | 1,549 | 2,051 | 4,331 | 4,461 | 3,894 | 3,564 | 455 | | | 20,305 | 4.0 |
| Middlesex | 3,709 | 4,104 | 10,172 | 9,713 | 9,285 | 9,001 | 564 | 129 | 1 | 46,678 | 9.2 |
| Monmouth | 2,492 | 2,722 | 8,903 | 8,603 | 8,102 | 7,556 | 451 | | | 38,829 | 7.6 |
| Morris | | 98 | 7,465 | 7,200 | 7,144 | 6,939 | 260 | 2 | 3 | 29,111 | 5.7 |
| Ocean | 1,354 | 1,353 | 5,165 | 5,168 | 4,641 | 4,051 | 141 | | | 21,873 | 4.3 |
| Passaic | 733 | 760 | 6,368 | 6,293 | 5,821 | 5,445 | 907 | | 53 | 26,380 | 5.2 |
| Salem | 371 | 391 | 1,230 | 1,179 | 1,040 | 1,021 | 144 | | | 5,376 | 1.1 |
| Somerset | 909 | 935 | 4,000 | 3,830 | 3,764 | 3,768 | 302 | | 3 | 17,511 | 3.4 |
| Sussex | 225 | 483 | 2,108 | 1,971 | 1,898 | 1,693 | 230 | | | 8,608 | 1.7 |
| Union | 2,874 | 3,179 | 7,578 | 7,711 | 7,293 | 7,280 | 572 | | 1 | 36,488 | 7.2 |
| Warren | 463 | 428 | 1,412 | 1,365 | 1,270 | 1,168 | 94 | | | 6,200 | 1.2 |
| TOTAL | 26,104 | 30,308 | 120,050 | 114,118 | 106,682 | 101,711 | 9,721 | 225 | 430 | 509,349 | 100.0 |
| Percent of Students Enrolled by Grade | 5.1 | 6.0 | 23.6 | 22.4 | 20.9 | 20.0 | 1.7 | 0.00 | .1 | 100.0 | |

## TABLE VIII

### NEW JERSEY PUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENTS BY SEX, MINORITY CLASSIFICATION AND COUNTY

SEPTEMBER 29, 1978

| COUNTY | COUNTY ENROLLMENT | | | | | | TOTAL ENROLLMENT | PERCENT OF STATE ENHOLLMENT |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | SEX | | | | MINORITY | | | |
| | MALE | | FEMALE | | | | | |
| | NUMBER | PERCENT | NUMBER | PERCENT | NUMBER | PERCENT | | |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) |
| Atlantic | 18,658 | 51.8 | 17,346 | 48.2 | 12,157 | 33.8 | 36,004 | 2.7 |
| Bergen | 70,557 | 51.2 | 67,324 | 48.8 | 13,362 | 9.7 | 137,881 | 10.3 |
| Burlington | 38,017 | 51.6 | 35,602 | 48.4 | 14,028 | 19.1 | 73,619 | 5.5 |
| Camden | 46,593 | 51.6 | 43,756 | 48.4 | 24,581 | 27.2 | 90,349 | 6.8 |
| Cape May | 6,360 | 52.1 | 5,847 | 47.9 | 1,525 | 12.5 | 12,207 | .9 |
| Cumberland | 14,957 | 51.0 | 14,361 | 49.0 | 10,860 | 37.0 | 29,318 | 2.2 |
| Essex | 77,331 | 50.8 | 74,747 | 49.2 | 88,623 | 58.3 | 152,078 | 11.4 |
| Gloucester | 20,666 | 51.6 | 19,357 | 48.4 | 5,001 | 12.5 | 40,023 | 3.0 |
| Hudson | 41,940 | 51.2 | 39,957 | 48.8 | 48,253 | 58.9 | 81,897 | 6.1 |
| Hunterdon | 10,002 | 51.4 | 9,446 | 48.6 | 343 | 1.8 | 19,448 | 1.4 |
| Mercer | 26,352 | 50.9 | 25,384 | 49.1 | 17,370 | 33.6 | 51,736 | 3.9 |
| Middlesex | 55,121 | 51.2 | 52,561 | 48.8 | 17,205 | 16.0 | 107,682 | 8.1 |
| Monmouth | 51,048 | 51.2 | 48,599 | 48.8 | 15,489 | 15.5 | 99,647 | 7.4 |
| Morris | 43,211 | 51.3 | 40,952 | 48.7 | 5,015 | 6.0 | 84,163 | 6.3 |
| Ocean | 32,165 | 51.4 | 30,358 | 48.6 | 4,932 | 7.9 | 62,523 | 4.7 |
| Passaic | 40,533 | 51.1 | 38,749 | 48.9 | 31,202 | 39.4 | 79,282 | 5.9 |
| Salem | 7,042 | 51.8 | 6,540 | 48.2 | 3,110 | 22.9 | 13,582 | 1.0 |
| Somerset | 20,733 | 51.6 | 19,474 | 48.4 | 3,569 | 8.9 | 40,207 | 3.0 |
| Sussex | 12,896 | 51.3 | 12,226 | 48.7 | 415 | 1.7 | 25,122 | 1.9 |
| Union | 43,123 | 51.7 | 40,367 | 48.3 | 28,448 | 34.1 | 83,490 | 6.2 |
| Warren | 8,761 | 51.3 | 8,308 | 48.7 | 433 | 2.5 | 17,069 | 1.3 |
| TOTAL STATE | 686,066 | 51.3 | 651,261 | 48.7 | 345,921 | 25.9 | 1,337,327 | 100.0 |

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## TABLE IX

## PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS ENROLLED BY COUNTY AND RACIAL/ETHNIC ORIGIN SEPTEMBER 29, 1978

| COUNTY | WHITE* | | BLACK* | | HISPANIC | | AMERICAN INDIAN ALASKAN NATIVE | | ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER | | TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENTS ENROLLED | % ** County Minority Enrollment |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Students Enrolled | % of Total County Enrollment | Students Enrolled | % of Total County Enrollment | Students Enrolled | % of Total County Enrollment | Students Enrolled | % of Total County Enrollment | Students Enrolled | % of Total County Enrollment | | |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) |
| Atlantic | 23,847 | 66.2 | 9,708 | 27.0 | 2,301 | 6.4 | 14 | | 134 | 0.4 | 36,004 | 33.8 |
| Bergen | 124,519 | 90.3 | 7,272 | 5.3 | 3,047 | 2.2 | 160 | 0.1 | 2,883 | 2.1 | 137,881 | 9.7 |
| Burlington | 59,591 | 80.9 | 11,713 | 15.9 | 1,225 | 1.7 | 68 | 0.1 | 1,022 | 1.4 | 73,619 | 19.1 |
| Camden | 65,768 | 72.8 | 17,881 | 19.8 | 5,768 | 6.4 | 43 | | 889 | 1.0 | 90,349 | 27.2 |
| Cape May | 10,682 | 87.5 | 1,358 | 11.1 | 122 | 1.0 | 6 | | 39 | 0.3 | 12,207 | 12.5 |
| Cumberland | 18,458 | 63.0 | 6,779 | 23.1 | 3,915 | 13.4 | 20 | 0.1 | 146 | 0.5 | 29,318 | 37.0 |
| Essex | 63,455 | 41.7 | 72,208 | 47.5 | 14,854 | 9.8 | 48 | | 1,513 | 1.0 | 152,078 | 58.3 |
| Gloucester | 35,022 | 87.5 | 4,464 | 11.2 | 360 | 0.9 | 22 | 0.1 | 155 | 0.4 | 40,023 | 12.5 |
| Hudson | 33,644 | 41.1 | 18,488 | 22.6 | 28,146 | 34.4 | 64 | 0.1 | 1,555 | 1.9 | 81,897 | 58.9 |
| Hunterdon | 19,105 | 98.2 | 143 | 0.7 | 81 | 0.4 | 15 | 0.1 | 104 | 0.5 | 19,448 | 1.8 |
| Mercer | 34,366 | 66.4 | 14,294 | 27.6 | 2,447 | 4.7 | 14 | | 615 | 1.2 | 51,736 | 33.6 |
| Middlesex | 90,477 | 84.0 | 8,705 | 8.1 | 6,797 | 6.3 | 88 | 0.1 | 1,615 | 1.5 | 107,682 | 16.0 |
| Monmouth | 84,158 | 84.5 | 12,155 | 12.2 | 2,356 | 2.4 | 50 | 0.1 | 928 | 0.9 | 99,647 | 15.5 |
| Morris | 79,148 | 94.0 | 2,293 | 2.7 | 1,625 | 1.9 | 38 | | 1,059 | 1.3 | 84,163 | 6.0 |
| Ocean | 57,591 | 92.1 | 2,956 | 4.7 | 1,604 | 2.6 | 46 | 0.1 | 326 | 0.5 | 62,523 | 7.9 |
| Passaic | 48,080 | 60.6 | 17,392 | 21.9 | 13,030 | 16.4 | 122 | 0.2 | 658 | 0.8 | 79,282 | 39.4 |
| Salem | 10,472 | 77.1 | 2,852 | 21.0 | 233 | 1.7 | 1 | | 24 | 0.2 | 13,582 | 22.9 |
| Somerset | 36,638 | 91.1 | 2,593 | 6.4 | 519 | 1.3 | 19 | | 438 | 1.1 | 40,207 | 8.9 |
| Sussex | 24,707 | 98.3 | 146 | 0.6 | 164 | 0.7 | 12 | | 93 | 0.4 | 25,122 | 1.7 |
| Union | 55,042 | 65.9 | 21,280 | 25.5 | 6,227 | 7.5 | 58 | 0.1 | 883 | 1.1 | 83,490 | 34.1 |
| Warren | 16,636 | 97.5 | 217 | 1.3 | 145 | 0.8 | 3 | | 68 | 0.4 | 17,069 | 2.5 |
| TOTAL STATE | 991,406 | 74.1 | 234,897 | 17.6 | 94,966 | 7.1 | 911 | 0.1 | 15,147 | 1.1 | 1,337,327 | 25.9 |

* Not Hispanic Origin

** % County Minority Enrollment = Columns 4, 6, 8 and 10 Divided by Column 12

TABLE X

**SUMMARY OF DROPOUT REASONS: KNOWN AND UNKNOWN BY COUNTY**

SEPTEMBER 1977 TO AUGUST 1978

| COUNTY | PHYSICAL ILLNESS | BEHAVIORAL OR CURRICULAR | ECONOMIC* OR OTHER HOME INFLUENCES | FAMILIAL (Married or Pregnant) | RELIGIOUS CON-VICTIONS | OTHER KNOWN OR UNKNOWN REASON | TOTAL DROPOUTS | SEPT. 1977 COUNTY ENROLL-MENTS | DROPOUTS AS A PERCENT OF ENROLL-MENTS | MOVED: STATUS UNKNOWN |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) |
| Atlantic | 5 | 532 | 131 | 21 | | 159 | 848 | 36,919 | 2.3 | 45 |
| Bergen | 22 | 357 | 786 | 23 | | 235 | 1,423 | 144,934 | 1.0 | 185 |
| Burlington | 19 | 337 | 283 | 59 | | 330 | 1,028 | 75,818 | 1.4 | 70 |
| Camden | 5 | 519 | 428 | 91 | | 255 | 1,298 | 93,090 | 1.4 | 170 |
| Cape May | 2 | 153 | 75 | 11 | | 66 | 307 | 12,425 | 2.5 | 110 |
| Cumberland | 2 | 319 | 175 | 46 | | 466 | 1,008 | 29,895 | 3.4 | 111 |
| Essex | 37 | 1,368 | 542 | 141 | | 904 | 2,992 | 157,495 | 1.9 | 361 |
| Gloucester | 11 | 284 | 188 | 57 | 2 | 126 | 668 | 40,882 | 1.6 | 8 |
| Hudson | 19 | 212 | 1,041 | 91 | | 367 | 1,730 | 83,930 | 2.1 | 116 |
| Hunterdon | 1 | 65 | 79 | 9 | | 26 | 180 | 19,536 | .9 | 173 |
| Mercer | 20 | 549 | 137 | 53 | | 319 | 1,078 | 53,376 | 2.0 | 230 |
| Middlesex | 38 | 668 | 433 | 56 | | 520 | 1,715 | 112,502 | 1.5 | 211 |
| Monmouth | 46 | 949 | 343 | 52 | | 331 | 1,721 | 103,381 | 1.7 | 119 |
| Morris | 6 | 344 | 271 | 23 | | 162 | 806 | 87,102 | .9 | 168 |
| Ocean | 3 | 728 | 227 | 44 | | 266 | 1,268 | 62,450 | 2.0 | 115 |
| Passaic | 29 | 373 | 924 | 81 | | 323 | 1,730 | 81,877 | 2.1 | 196 |
| Salem | 2 | 132 | 35 | 27 | | 41 | 237 | 13,839 | 1.7 | 15 |
| Somerset | 1 | 199 | 154 | 10 | 1 | 38 | 403 | 42,267 | 1.0 | 55 |
| Sussex | 2 | 123 | 73 | 14 | | 46 | 258 | 25,294 | 1.0 | 25 |
| Union | 11 | 441 | 337 | 19 | | 326 | 1,134 | 87,287 | 1.3 | 181 |
| Warren | 3 | 120 | 110 | 13 | | 40 | 286 | 17,229 | 1.7 | 17 |
| TOTAL | 284 | 8,772 | 6,772 | 941 | 3 | 5,346 | 22,118 | 1,381,528 | 1.6 | 2,681 |
| DROPOUTS AS A % OF TOTAL STATE ENROLLMENT 1977 | | .6 | .5 | .1 | | .4 | | | | |

*INCLUDES 5,915 REPORTED AS EMPLOYED.

## TABLE XI

### STUDENTS DROPPING OUT OF EACH GRADE IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF NEW JERSEY BY COUNTY AND SEX

SEPTEMBER 1977 TO AUGUST 1978

| COUNTY | GRADE | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | TOTAL | Moved: Status Unknown | SEX | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | MALE | | FEMALE | |
| | PRE-K | K | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | Special Education | Post-Grad. | Un-Graded | | | NUMBER | % | NUMBER | % |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) |
| Atlantic | | 1 | 2 | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 12 | 181 | 257 | 222 | 137 | 32 | | | 848 | 45 | 515 | 60.7 | 333 | 39.3 |
| Bergen | 7 | 3 | | 1 | 2 | | | 1 | 2 | 11 | 162 | 311 | 511 | 390 | 22 | | | 1,423 | 185 | 881 | 61.9 | 542 | 38.1 |
| Burlington | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | 2 | 5 | 13 | 158 | 247 | 300 | 254 | 46 | | | 1,028 | 70 | 611 | 59.4 | 417 | 40.6 |
| Camden | | 1 | | | | 1 | | | 17 | 52 | 212 | 306 | 366 | 296 | 44 | 3 | | 1,298 | 170 | 758 | 58.4 | 540 | 41.6 |
| Cape May | | | | | | 1 | 1 | | | 4 | 78 | 69 | 75 | 51 | 28 | | | 307 | 110 | 185 | 60.3 | 122 | 39.7 |
| Cumberland | | | | | | | | | 14 | 23 | 211 | 284 | 267 | 172 | 37 | | | 1,008 | 111 | 568 | 56.3 | 440 | 43.7 |
| Essex | 3 | 34 | 9 | 5 | 8 | 6 | 3 | 6 | 20 | 59 | 679 | 848 | 665 | 453 | 191 | 3 | | 2,992 | 361 | 1,739 | 58.1 | 1,253 | 41.9 |
| Gloucester | | 1 | | | | | | | 3 | 20 | 140 | 167 | 189 | 131 | 17 | | | 668 | 8 | 390 | 58.4 | 278 | 41.6 |
| Hudson | | 3 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 34 | 43 | 618 | 390 | 381 | 190 | 38 | | 17 | 1,730 | 116 | 1,028 | 59.4 | 702 | 40.6 |
| Hunterdon | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 9 | 45 | 72 | 52 | 1 | | | 180 | 173 | 117 | 65.0 | 63 | 35.0 |
| Mercer | | 1 | | | | | | | 4 | 12 | 109 | 410 | 270 | 203 | 69 | | | 1,078 | 230 | 621 | 57.6 | 457 | 42.4 |
| Middlesex | | 2 | | | | | | 2 | 17 | 40 | 227 | 393 | 499 | 432 | 28 | 63 | 12 | 1,715 | 211 | 1,073 | 62.6 | 642 | 37.4 |
| Monmouth | | 3 | | | | 1 | | | 3 | 24 | 179 | 488 | 534 | 417 | 27 | 45 | | 1,721 | 119 | 1,039 | 60.4 | 682 | 39.6 |
| Morris | | 1 | 1 | | | 1 | | | | 4 | 76 | 169 | 271 | 273 | 9 | 1 | | 806 | 168 | 521 | 64.6 | 285 | 35.4 |
| Ocean | | 1 | | | | | | 2 | 4 | 9 | 159 | 321 | 383 | 376 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 1,268 | 115 | 782 | 61.7 | 486 | 38.3 |
| Passaic | | 2 | | | | | | 1 | 9 | 49 | 225 | 447 | 537 | 420 | 40 | | | 1,730 | 196 | 976 | 56.4 | 754 | 43.6 |
| Salem | | | | | | | | | 1 | 4 | 43 | 64 | 67 | 52 | 6 | | | 237 | 15 | 129 | 54.4 | 108 | 45.6 |
| Somerset | | | | | | | | | | 2 | 60 | 83 | 110 | 138 | 4 | | 6 | 403 | 55 | 249 | 61.8 | 154 | 38.2 |
| Sussex | | | | | 1 | | | | | 2 | 26 | 65 | 83 | 75 | 5 | 1 | | 258 | 25 | 151 | 58.5 | 107 | 41.5 |
| Union | | | | | | 1 | | | 2 | 12 | 109 | 363 | 350 | 295 | 1 | | 1 | 1,134 | 181 | 665 | 58.6 | 469 | 41.4 |
| Warren | | | | | | | | | 6 | 7 | 33 | 94 | 80 | 59 | 7 | | | 286 | 17 | 161 | 56.3 | 125 | 43.7 |
| TOTAL | 10 | 53 | 15 | 11 | 14 | 14 | 6 | 20 | 142 | 403 | 3,694 | 5,821 | 6,232 | 4,866 | 663 | 117 | 37 | 22,118 | 2,681 | 13,159 | 59.5 | 8,959 | 40.5 |
| Dropouts as a Percent of Total State Enrollments in this grade. | .3 | .1 | .0 | .0 | .0 | .0 | .0 | .0 | .1 | .4 | 3.0 | 4.9 | 5.7 | 4.8 | 2.3 | 1.2 | .3 | | | | | | |

## TABLE XII

## PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT DROPOUTS BY COUNTY AND RACIAL/ETHNIC ORIGIN SEPTEMBER 1977 TO AUGUST 1978

| COUNTY | WHITE * | | BLACK * | | HISPANIC | | AMERICAN INDIAN ALASKAN NATIVE | | ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER | | TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT DROPOUTS | % ** County Minority Dropouts |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Student Dropouts | % of Total Dropouts in the County | Student Dropouts | % of Total Dropouts in the County | Student Dropouts | % of Total Dropouts in the County | Student Dropouts | % of Total Dropouts in the County | Student Dropouts | % of Total Dropouts in the County | | |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) |
| Atlantic | 483 | 57.0 | 295 | 34.8 | 69 | 8.1 | | | 1 | 0.1 | 848 | 43.0 |
| Bergen | 1,248 | 87.7 | 103 | 7.2 | 55 | 3.9 | 12 | 0.8 | 5 | 0.4 | 1,423 | 12.3 |
| Burlington | 889 | 86.4 | 123 | 12.0 | 13 | 1.3 | | | 3 | 0.3 | 1,028 | 13.6 |
| Camden | 961 | 74.1 | 216 | 16.6 | 120 | 9.2 | 1 | 0.1 | | | 1,298 | 25.9 |
| Cape May | 272 | 88.6 | 35 | 11.4 | | | | | | | 307 | 11.4 |
| Cumberland | 547 | 54.2 | 280 | 27.8 | 180 | 17.9 | 1 | 0.1 | | | 1,008 | 45.8 |
| Essex | 763 | 25.5 | 1,850 | 61.8 | 374 | 12.5 | | | 5 | 0.2 | 2,992 | 74.5 |
| Gloucester | 573 | 85.8 | 94 | 14.1 | | | | | 1 | 0.1 | 668 | 14.2 |
| Hudson | 826 | 47.7 | 362 | 20.9 | 532 | 30.8 | 2 | 0.1 | 8 | 0.5 | 1,730 | 52.3 |
| Hunterdon | 167 | 92.7 | 10 | 5.6 | 1 | 0.6 | 2 | 1.1 | | | 180 | 7.3 |
| Mercer | 420 | 39.0 | 602 | 55.8 | 55 | 5.1 | | | 1 | 0.1 | 1,078 | 61.0 |
| Middlesex | 1,323 | 77.1 | 196 | 11.4 | 193 | 11.3 | 1 | 0.1 | 2 | 0.1 | 1,715 | 22.9 |
| Monmouth | 1,374 | 79.9 | 283 | 16.4 | 60 | 3.5 | | | 4 | 0.2 | 1,721 | 20.1 |
| Morris | 728 | 90.3 | 48 | 6.0 | 27 | 3.3 | | | 3 | 0.4 | 806 | 9.7 |
| Ocean | 1,140 | 89.9 | 81 | 6.4 | 47 | 3.7 | | | | | 1,268 | 10.1 |
| Passaic | 834 | 48.3 | 552 | 31.9 | 338 | 19.5 | | | 6 | 0.3 | 1,730 | 51.7 |
| Salem | 176 | 74.3 | 59 | 24.9 | 2 | 0.8 | | | | | 237 | 25.7 |
| Somerset | 334 | 83.0 | 57 | 14.1 | 11 | 2.7 | | | 1 | 0.2 | 403 | 17.0 |
| Sussex | 256 | 99.2 | 2 | 0.8 | | | | | | | 258 | 0.8 |
| Union | 631 | 55.6 | 363 | 32.0 | 138 | 12.2 | | | 2 | 0.2 | 1,134 | 44.4 |
| Warren | 277 | 96.9 | 8 | 2.8 | 1 | 0.3 | | | | | 286 | 3.1 |
| TOTAL STATE | 14,222 | 64.3 | 5,619 | 25.4 | 2,216 | 10.0 | 19 | 0.1 | 42 | 0.2 | 22,118 | 35.7 |

* NOT HISPANIC ORIGIN

** % COUNTY MINORITY DROPOUTS = COLUMNS 4, 6, 8 AND 10 DIVIDED BY COLUMN 12

TABLE XIII

PUBLIC SCHOOL PUPILS SUSPENDED AND EXPELLED
BY COUNTY AND RACIAL/ETHNIC ORIGIN
SEPTEMBER 1977 TO AUGUST 1978

| COUNTY | PUPILS SUSPENDED | | | | | | | | TOTAL PUPILS EXPELLED |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | WHITE* | BLACK* | HISPANIC | AMERICAN INDIAN ALASKAN NATIVE | ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER | TOTAL PUPILS SUSPENDED | MALE | FEMALE | |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| Atlantic | 1,837 | 1,229 | 217 | 0 | 2 | 3,285 | 2,279 | 1,006 | 9 |
| Bergen | 4,800 | 638 | 139 | 35 | 16 | 5,628 | 3,991 | 1,637 | 6 |
| Burlington | 3,875 | 846 | 81 | 1 | 20 | 4,823 | 3,436 | 1,387 | 1 |
| Camden | 4,737 | 1,045 | 246 | 1 | 13 | 6,042 | 4,344 | 1,698 | 9 |
| Cape May | 732 | 240 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 978 | 676 | 302 | 0 |
| Cumberland | 1,800 | 1,450 | 317 | 5 | 8 | 3,580 | 2,677 | 903 | 0 |
| Essex | 2,792 | 3,259 | 175 | 0 | 6 | 6,232 | 4,238 | 1,994 | 5 |
| Gloucester | 3,229 | 724 | 22 | 1 | 4 | 3,980 | 2,781 | 1,199 | 7 |
| Hudson | 2,119 | 1,027 | 917 | 0 | 25 | 4,088 | 2,609 | 1,479 | 2 |
| Hunterdon | 977 | 18 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1,000 | 659 | 341 | 1 |
| Mercer | 2,426 | 2,328 | 153 | 0 | 5 | 4,912 | 3,461 | 1,451 | 4 |
| Middlesex | 6,374 | 1,417 | 693 | 1 | 11 | 8,496 | 5,837 | 2,659 | 3 |
| Monmouth | 4,845 | 1,790 | 225 | 2 | 7 | 6,869 | 4,789 | 2,080 | 23 |
| Morris | 3,348 | 174 | 52 | 0 | 5 | 3,579 | 2,635 | 944 | 2 |
| Ocean | 2,963 | 459 | 136 | 0 | 0 | 3,558 | 2,344 | 1,214 | 4 |
| Passaic | 2,789 | 1,473 | 846 | 11 | 2 | 5,121 | 3,319 | 1,802 | 2 |
| Salem | 1,029 | 572 | 32 | 0 | 0 | 1,633 | 1,156 | 477 | 0 |
| Somerset | 1,782 | 345 | 54 | 1 | 1 | 2,183 | 1,500 | 683 | 0 |
| Sussex | 1,104 | 9 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1,120 | 801 | 319 | 0 |
| Union | 3,698 | 2,722 | 311 | 1 | 3 | 6,735 | 4,729 | 2,006 | 1 |
| Warren | 1,041 | 21 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 1,076 | 803 | 273 | 7 |
| Total | 58,297 | 21,786 | 4,644 | 61 | 130 | 84,918 | 59,064 | 25,854 | 86 |

*Not of Hispanic Origin

## TABLE XIV

## STATUS OF NEWJERSEY'S 1978 PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES DURING THE FALL OF 1978 BY COUNTY

| COUNTY | HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES CONTINUING AND NOT CONTINUING EDUCATION | | | | | | | | TOTAL 1978 HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | CONTINUING EDUCATION | | | | NOT CONTINUING EDUCATION | | | | | |
| | College or University | Other Education | TOTAL | PERCENT | Employed | OTHER | TOTAL | PERCENT | TOTAL | % of Grads in State |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) |
| Atlantic | 906 | 83 | 989 | 45.9 | 838 | 329 | 1,167 | 54.1 | 2,156 | 2.2 |
| Bergen | 7,872 | 1,052 | 8,924 | 69.3 | 3,355 | 606 | 3,961 | 30.7 | 12,885 | 13.3 |
| Burlington | 2,554 | 379 | 2,933 | 54.3 | 1,762 | 711 | 2,473 | 45.7 | 5,406 | 5.6 |
| Camden | 2,744 | 527 | 3,271 | 51.6 | 1,828 | 1,244 | 3,072 | 48.4 | 6,343 | 6.5 |
| Cape May | 309 | 66 | 375 | 46.6 | 341 | 88 | 429 | 53.4 | 804 | .8 |
| Cumberland | 725 | 111 | 836 | 46.9 | 629 | 319 | 948 | 53.1 | 1,784 | 1.8 |
| Essex | 5,304 | 982 | 6,286 | 66.7 | 2,223 | 919 | 3,142 | 33.3 | 9,428 | 9.7 |
| Gloucester | 1,254 | 240 | 1,494 | 52.0 | 957 | 420 | 1,377 | 48.0 | 2,871 | 3.0 |
| Hudson | 2,094 | 888 | 2,982 | 55.8 | 1,576 | 785 | 2,361 | 44.2 | 5,343 | 5.5 |
| Hunterdon | 615 | 73 | 688 | 52.7 | 373 | 245 | 618 | 47.3 | 1,306 | 1.3 |
| Mercer | 1,854 | 221 | 2,075 | 61.6 | 1,103 | 192 | 1,295 | 38.4 | 3,370 | 3.5 |
| Middlesex | 4,512 | 585 | 5,097 | 58.5 | 2,774 | 835 | 3,609 | 41.5 | 8,706 | 9.0 |
| Monmouth | 3,894 | 474 | 4,368 | 61.2 | 1,971 | 803 | 2,774 | 38.8 | 7,142 | 7.4 |
| Morris | 4,053 | 361 | 4,414 | 68.1 | 1,637 | 434 | 2,071 | 31.9 | 6,485 | 6.7 |
| Ocean | 1,705 | 322 | 2,027 | 56.5 | 972 | 586 | 1,558 | 43.5 | 3,585 | 3.7 |
| Passaic | 2,452 | 656 | 3,108 | 60.1 | 1,498 | 565 | 2,063 | 39.9 | 5,171 | 5.3 |
| Salem | 369 | 93 | 462 | 43.7 | 423 | 172 | 595 | 56.3 | 1,057 | 1.1 |
| Somerset | 2,297 | 240 | 2,537 | 69.1 | 872 | 260 | 1,132 | 30.9 | 3,669 | 3.8 |
| Sussex | 713 | 110 | 823 | 52.7 | 549 | 191 | 740 | 47.3 | 1,563 | 1.6 |
| Union | 3,785 | 886 | 4,671 | 67.2 | 1,595 | 689 | 2,284 | 32.8 | 6,955 | 7.1 |
| Warren | 420 | 65 | 485 | 46.2 | 479 | 86 | 565 | 53.8 | 1,050 | 1.1 |
| TOTAL | 50,431 | 8,414 | 58,845 | 60.6 | 27,755 | 10,479 | 38,234 | 39.4 | 97,079 | 100.0 |

TABLE XV

## NEW JERSEY PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES (1978) CONTINUING EDUCATION AND NOT CONTINUING EDUCATION BY COUNTY AND SEX

| County | Total Graduates | Graduates Continuing Education | | | | Graduates Not-Continuing Education | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Male | Female | Total | Percent of Graduates Continuing Education | Male | Female | Total | Percent of Graduates Not Continuing Education |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| Atlantic | 2,156 | 436 | 553 | 989 | 45.9 | 612 | 555 | 1,167 | 54.1 |
| Bergen | 12,885 | 4,267 | 4,657 | 8,924 | 69.3 | 2,059 | 1,902 | 3,961 | 30.7 |
| Burlington | 5,406 | 1,424 | 1,509 | 2,933 | 54.3 | 1,313 | 1,160 | 2,473 | 45.7 |
| Camden | 6,343 | 1,624 | 1,647 | 3,271 | 51.6 | 1,590 | 1,482 | 3,072 | 48.4 |
| Cape May | 804 | 165 | 210 | 375 | 46.6 | 222 | 207 | 429 | 53.4 |
| Cumberland | 1,784 | 351 | 485 | 836 | 46.9 | 529 | 419 | 948 | 53.1 |
| Essex | 9,428 | 2,964 | 3,322 | 6,286 | 66.7 | 1,723 | 1,419 | 3,142 | 33.3 |
| Gloucester | 2,871 | 699 | 795 | 1,494 | 52.0 | 700 | 677 | 1,377 | 48.0 |
| Hudson | 5,343 | 1,409 | 1,573 | 2,982 | 55.8 | 1,215 | 1,146 | 2,361 | 44.2 |
| Hunterdon | 1,306 | 322 | 366 | 688 | 52.7 | 332 | 286 | 618 | 47.3 |
| Mercer | 3,370 | 921 | 1,154 | 2,075 | 61.6 | 686 | 609 | 1,295 | 38.4 |
| Middlesex | 8,706 | 2,371 | 2,726 | 5,097 | 58.5 | 1,862 | 1,747 | 3,609 | 41.5 |
| Monmouth | 7,142 | 2,067 | 2,301 | 4,368 | 61.2 | 1,377 | 1,397 | 2,774 | 38.8 |
| Morris | 6,485 | 2,125 | 2,289 | 4,414 | 68.1 | 1,097 | 974 | 2,071 | 31.9 |
| Ocean | 3,585 | 943 | 1,034 | 2,027 | 56.5 | 826 | 732 | 1,558 | 43.5 |
| Passaic | 5,171 | 1,441 | 1,667 | 3,108 | 60.1 | 1,062 | 1,001 | 2,063 | 39.9 |
| Salem | 1,057 | 212 | 250 | 462 | 43.7 | 334 | 261 | 595 | 56.3 |
| Somerset | 3,669 | 1,246 | 1,291 | 2,537 | 69.1 | 576 | 556 | 1,132 | 30.9 |
| Sussex | 1,563 | 394 | 429 | 823 | 52.7 | 406 | 334 | 740 | 47.3 |
| Union | 6,955 | 2,196 | 2,475 | 4,671 | 67.2 | 1,197 | 1,087 | 2,284 | 32.8 |
| Warren | 1,050 | 199 | 286 | 485 | 46.2 | 299 | 266 | 565 | 53.8 |
| Total | 97,079 | 27,776 | 31,069 | 58,845 | 60.6 | 20,017 | 18,217 | 38,234 | 39.4 |

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TABLE XVI

## NEW JERSEY PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES (1978) BY COUNTY, LOCATION AND SEX

| County | Total Graduates | LOCATION | | | | SEX | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | In-State | Percent In-State | Out-Of-State | Percent Out-Of-State | Male | Percent Male | Female | Percent Female |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| Atlantic | 2,156 | 1,704 | 79.0 | 452 | 21.0 | 1,048 | 48.6 | 1,108 | 51.4 |
| Bergen | 12,885 | 8,726 | 67.7 | 4,159 | 32.3 | 6,326 | 49.1 | 6,559 | 50.9 |
| Burlington | 5,406 | 3,761 | 69.6 | 1,645 | 30.4 | 2,737 | 50.6 | 2,669 | 49.4 |
| Camden | 6,343 | 4,618 | 72.8 | 1,725 | 27.2 | 3,214 | 50.7 | 3,129 | 49.3 |
| Cape May | 804 | 531 | 66.0 | 273 | 34.0 | 387 | 48.1 | 417 | 51.9 |
| Cumberland | 1,784 | 1,374 | 77.0 | 410 | 23.0 | 880 | 49.3 | 904 | 50.7 |
| Essex | 9,428 | 6,769 | 71.8 | 2,659 | 28.2 | 4,687 | 49.7 | 4,741 | 50.3 |
| Gloucester | 2,871 | 2,235 | 77.8 | 636 | 22.2 | 1,399 | 48.7 | 1,472 | 51.3 |
| Hudson | 5,343 | 4,428 | 82.9 | 915 | 17.1 | 2,624 | 49.1 | 2,719 | 50.9 |
| Hunterdon | 1,306 | 873 | 66.8 | 433 | 33.2 | 654 | 50.1 | 652 | 49.9 |
| Mercer | 3,370 | 2,355 | 69.9 | 1,015 | 30.1 | 1,607 | 47.7 | 1,763 | 52.3 |
| Middlesex | 8,706 | 7,200 | 82.7 | 1,506 | 17.3 | 4,233 | 48.6 | 4,473 | 51.4 |
| Monmouth | 7,142 | 5,091 | 71.3 | 2,051 | 28.7 | 3,444 | 48.2 | 3,698 | 51.8 |
| Morris | 6,485 | 4,316 | 66.6 | 2,169 | 33.4 | 3,222 | 49.7 | 3,263 | 50.3 |
| Ocean | 3,585 | 2,885 | 80.5 | 700 | 19.5 | 1,769 | 49.3 | 1,816 | 50.7 |
| Passaic | 5,171 | 4,202 | 81.3 | 969 | 18.7 | 2,503 | 48.4 | 2,668 | 51.6 |
| Salem | 1,057 | 761 | 72.0 | 296 | 28.0 | 546 | 51.7 | 511 | 48.3 |
| Somerset | 3,669 | 2,397 | 65.3 | 1,272 | 34.7 | 1,822 | 49.7 | 1,847 | 50.3 |
| Sussex | 1,563 | 1,066 | 68.2 | 497 | 31.8 | 800 | 51.2 | 763 | 48.8 |
| Union | 6,955 | 4,996 | 71.8 | 1,959 | 28.2 | 3,393 | 48.8 | 3,562 | 51.2 |
| Warren | 1,050 | 699 | 66.6 | 351 | 33.4 | 498 | 47.4 | 552 | 52.6 |
| Total | 97,079 | 70,987 | 73.1 | 26,092 | 26.9 | 47,793 | 49.2 | 49,286 | 50.8 |

## TABLE XVII

### NEW JERSEY PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES BY COUNTY, RACIAL/ETHNIC ORIGIN
SEPTEMBER 1, 1977 TO AUGUST 31, 1978

| COUNTY | White* | | Black* | | Hispanic | | American Indian/ Alaskan Native | | Asian or Pacific Islander | | Total Number of Graduates | % of** County Minority Graduates |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Graduates | % of Total Graduates in the County | Graduates | % of Total Graduates in the County | Graduates | % of Total Graduates in the County | Graduates | % of Total Graduates in the County | Graduates | % of Total Graduates in the County | | |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) |
| Atlantic | 1,554 | 72.1 | 517 | 24.0 | 73 | 3.4 | 3 | 0.1 | 9 | 0.4 | 2,156 | 27.9 |
| Bergen | 12,126 | 94.1 | 474 | 3.7 | 158 | 1.2 | 7 | 0.1 | 120 | 0.9 | 12,885 | 5.9 |
| Burlington | 4,464 | 82.6 | 807 | 14.9 | 103 | 1.9 | 3 | 0.1 | 29 | 0.5 | 5,406 | 17.4 |
| Camden | 5,416 | 85.4 | 770 | 12.1 | 129 | 2.0 | 1 | | 27 | 0.4 | 6,343 | 14.6 |
| Cape May | 748 | 93.0 | 56 | 7.0 | | | | | | | 804 | 7.0 |
| Cumberland | 1,312 | 73.5 | 368 | 20.6 | 96 | 5.4 | 1 | 0.1 | 7 | 0.4 | 1,784 | 26.5 |
| Essex | 5,801 | 61.5 | 3,127 | 33.2 | 461 | 4.9 | | | 39 | 0.4 | 9,428 | 38.5 |
| Gloucester | 2,550 | 88.8 | 307 | 10.7 | 6 | 0.2 | 2 | 0.1 | 6 | 0.2 | 2,871 | 11.2 |
| Hudson | 2,891 | 54.1 | 1,012 | 18.9 | 1,339 | 25.1 | 6 | 0.1 | 95 | 1.8 | 5,343 | 45.9 |
| Hunterdon | 1,287 | 98.5 | 6 | 0.5 | 5 | 0.4 | | | 8 | 0.6 | 1,306 | 1.5 |
| Mercer | 2,612 | 77.5 | 658 | 19.5 | 79 | 2.3 | 1 | | 20 | 0.6 | 3,370 | 22.5 |
| Middlesex | 7,989 | 91.8 | 429 | 4.9 | 238 | 2.7 | 2 | | 48 | 0.6 | 8,706 | 8.2 |
| Monmouth | 6,339 | 88.8 | 669 | 9.4 | 96 | 1.3 | 3 | | 35 | 0.5 | 7,142 | 11.2 |
| Morris | 6,257 | 96.5 | 106 | 1.6 | 89 | 1.4 | | | 33 | 0.5 | 6,485 | 3.5 |
| Ocean | 3,351 | 93.5 | 150 | 4.2 | 69 | 1.9 | 2 | 0.1 | 13 | 0.4 | 3,585 | 6.5 |
| Passaic | 4,089 | 79.1 | 737 | 14.3 | 325 | 6.3 | | | 20 | 0.4 | 5,171 | 20.9 |
| Salem | 832 | 78.7 | 212 | 20.1 | 13 | 1.2 | | | | | 1,057 | 21.3 |
| Somerset | 3,498 | 95.3 | 128 | 3.5 | 25 | 0.7 | | | 18 | 0.5 | 3,669 | 4.7 |
| Sussex | 1,536 | 98.3 | 11 | 0.7 | 15 | 1.0 | 1 | 0.1 | | | 1,563 | 1.7 |
| Union | 5,491 | 79.0 | 1,156 | 16.6 | 262 | 3.8 | 6 | 0.1 | 40 | 0.6 | 6,955 | 21.0 |
| Warren | 1,036 | 98.7 | 5 | 0.5 | 8 | 0.8 | | | 1 | 0.1 | 1,050 | 1.3 |
| TOTAL | 81,179 | 83.6 | 11,705 | 12.1 | 3,589 | 3.7 | 38 | | 568 | 0.6 | 97,079 | 16.4 |

*NOT HISPANIC ORIGIN

TABLE XVIII

## RACIAL/ETHNIC DISTRIBUTION OF NEW JERSEY PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES (1978) CONTINUING EDUCATION AT A COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY BY COUNTY AND LOCATION

| COUNTY | RACIAL/ETHNIC DISTRIBUTIONS OF GRADUATES AT COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITIES | | | | | TOTALS | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | White* | Black* | Hispanic | American Indian or Alaskan Native | Asian or Pacific Islander | Graduates at College Or Universities | IN-STATE | OUT-OF STATE |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) |
| Atlantic | 662 | 211 | 30 | | 3 | 906 | 575 | 331 |
| Bergen | 7,380 | 293 | 103 | 3 | 93 | 7,872 | 4,205 | 3,667 |
| Burlington | 2,096 | 390 | 47 | 2 | 19 | 2,554 | 1,333 | 1,221 |
| Camden | 2,370 | 300 | 54 | 1 | 19 | 2,744 | 1,491 | 1,253 |
| Cape May | 288 | 21 | | | | 309 | 121 | 188 |
| Cumberland | 571 | 103 | 46 | | 5 | 725 | 440 | 285 |
| Essex | 3,544 | 1,560 | 168 | | 32 | 5,304 | 3,035 | 2,269 |
| Gloucester | 1,111 | 135 | 2 | | 6 | 1,254 | 825 | 429 |
| Hudson | 1,164 | 304 | 573 | 4 | 49 | 2,094 | 1,649 | 445 |
| Hunterdon | 606 | 2 | 3 | | 4 | 615 | 283 | 332 |
| Mercer | 1,481 | 321 | 32 | 1 | 19 | 1,854 | 1,088 | 766 |
| Middlesex | 4,167 | 189 | 109 | 1 | 46 | 4,512 | 3,292 | 1,220 |
| Monmouth | 3,530 | 300 | 38 | | 26 | 3,894 | 2,248 | 1,646 |
| Morris | 3,947 | 50 | 27 | | 29 | 4,053 | 2,103 | 1,950 |
| Ocean | 1,588 | 72 | 33 | 1 | 11 | 1,705 | 1,168 | 537 |
| Passaic | 2,037 | 269 | 130 | | 16 | 2,452 | 1,694 | 758 |
| Salem | 299 | 66 | 4 | | | 369 | 210 | 159 |
| Somerset | 2,230 | 43 | 9 | | 15 | 2,297 | 1,125 | 1,172 |
| Sussex | 701 | 4 | 7 | 1 | | 713 | 335 | 378 |
| Union | 3,225 | 411 | 114 | 2 | 33 | 3,785 | 2,042 | 1,743 |
| Warren | 412 | 3 | 5 | | | 420 | 204 | 216 |
| TOTAL GRADUATES AT COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITIES | 43,409 | 5,047 | 1,534 | 16 | 425 | 50,431 | 29,466 | 20,965 |
| PERCENT OF GRADUATES AT COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITIES | 86.2 | 10.0 | 3.0 | | 0.8 | 100.0 | 58.4 | 41.6 |

* NOT HISPANIC ORIGIN

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# SECTION III

# FACILITIES INFORMATION

# SCHOOL FACILITIES

This section contains four (4) tables related to school facilities but particularly instructional rooms. The first two tables show the net change (over last year) in available instructional rooms, and the instructional rooms available in the public elementary and secondary schools. The third table shows instructional room availability and need. The fourth table addresses the cost of meeting the capital improvement needs of the public schools, and, a projection showing the years in which bids will be received.

Table XIX: at the beginning of the fiscal or school year (1978-79)*, there were 69,693 instructional rooms available to public school students. That number represented an increase of 674 rooms or a net increase of approximately one percent. All but three (3) of the counties reported an increase in the number of available instructional rooms. Percentage-wise the greatest gains (over last year) were made by Cumberland, Warren, Mercer and Camden respectively,

Table XX (when compared with last year) will show that of the gain of 674 instructional rooms available at the close of the 1978 school year, 423 were elementary and 251 were secondary. The total number of elementary instructional rooms was 45,686 and the total of secondary instructional rooms was 24,007. Approximately 65.5 percent of all instructional rooms was devoted to elementary education and 34.4 percent to secondary education.

Table XXI separates available instructional rooms into two categories: rooms available and rooms needed. The available rooms are further separated into rooms in-use and rooms not-in-use.

NOTE: May also read: "end of school year 1977-78"

The rooms "needed" section reports on the numbers needed to meet excess enrollments and the number needed to replace sub-standard instructional rooms.

Of the instructional rooms available (69,693) 596 were reported "not-in-use". This is an increase of 103 over last year, however, of all of the available rooms, the number not-in-use, was reported to be only nine tenths of one percent. Columns 5, 6 and 7 of Table XXI show the additional instructional rooms needed for excess enrollments and those needed to replace sub-standard rooms. The total number of rooms needed (2,651) represents a six percent (6%) improvement over last year when 2,830 rooms were reported as needed. The greatest gains (in available rooms) were those reported to meet excess enrollments. Only a two percent gain (over last year) was reported in the replacement of sub-standard facilities.

All of the counties reported a need for additional instructional rooms. In order to alleviate excess enrollments conditions five (5) counties reported needs in excess of 100 or more rooms: Ocean, Essex, Gloucester, Atlantic, and Monmouth.

Additional instructional rooms needed for replacement of sub-standard rooms was reported by all counties. Ten counties reported needing 50 or more replacement rooms.

Table XXII reflects the dollar value of the estimated cost of all capital improvement projects for which bids will be received between the years 1978-79 and 1981-82. The table shows that Statewide, 1,084 projects with a dollar value of $408,062,000 will be actively soliciting bids within the four year period (1978-79 to 1981-82).

The estimated cost of all capital improvement projects (Column 3) increased by $26,692,000 between 1977 and 1978.

All of the counties reported capital improvement projects. Fourteen counties reported estimated capital improvements in excess of $10,000,000 each.

There were forty-seven (47) schools reported on split or curtailed sessions. Of that number 24 were elementary schools and 23 were secondary schools. Ocean County reported eleven (11), Monmouth County six (6) and Gloucester County five (5). The remainder were reported in twelve other counties.

Comparison of Selected School Facilities Data

| Data Element | 1977-78 | 1978-79 |
|---|---|---|
| Total Instructional Rooms Available | 69,019 | 69,693 |
| Elementary Instructional Rooms | 45,263 | 45,686 |
| Secondary Instructional Rooms | 23,756 | 24,007 |
| Instructional Rooms: | | |
| In Use | 68,526 | 69,097 |
| Not In Use | 493 | 596 |
| Estimated Cost of all Capital Improvement Projects (in thousand of dollars) | $381,370 | $408,062 |

TABLE XIX

# INSTRUCTIONAL ROOMS AVAILABLE
# NEW JERSEY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
# BY COUNTY

JULY 1977 TO JUNE 1978

| COUNTY | INSTRUCTIONAL ROOMS AVAILABLE* | | NET CHANGE | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | JULY 1977 | JUNE 1978 | NUMBER | PERCENT |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) |
| Atlantic | 1,741 | 1,673 | -68 | 3.9 |
| Bergen | 7,960 | 7,968 | 8 | .1 |
| Burlington | 3,700 | 3,749 | 49 | 1.3 |
| Camden | 4,373 | 4,451 | 78 | 1.8 |
| Cape May | 668 | 679 | 11 | 1.6 |
| Cumberland | 1,364 | 1,458 | 94 | 6.9 |
| Essex | 7,814 | 7,908 | 94 | 1.2 |
| Gloucester | 1,872 | 1,883 | 11 | .6 |
| Hudson | 3,966 | 4,034 | 68 | 1.7 |
| Hunterdon | 1,017 | 1,040 | 23 | 2.3 |
| Mercer | 2,441 | 2,568 | 127 | 5.2 |
| Middlesex | 5,994 | 6,031 | 37 | .6 |
| Monmouth | 5,226 | 5,227 | 1 | |
| Morris | 4,422 | 4,442 | 20 | .5 |
| Ocean | 2,511 | 2,559 | 48 | 1.9 |
| Passaic | 3,927 | 3,959 | 32 | .8 |
| Salem | 889 | 889 | | |
| Somerset | 2,236 | 2,222 | -14 | .6 |
| Sussex | 1,217 | 1,241 | 24 | 2.0 |
| Union | 4,799 | 4,792 | -7 | .1 |
| Warren | 882 | 920 | 38 | 4.3 |
| Total | 69,019 | 69,693 | 674 | 1.0 |

*Available Rooms Coincide with School Year

TABLE XX

**ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY**
**INSTRUCTIONAL ROOMS AVAILABLE**
**NEW JERSEY PUBLIC SCHOOLS**
**BY COUNTY**
JUNE 1978

| COUNTY | INSTRUCTIONAL ROOMS AVAILABLE JUNE 1978 | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | ELEMENTARY | SECONDARY | TOTAL |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) |
| Atlantic | 1,269 | 404 | 1,673 |
| Bergen | 4,916 | 3,052 | 7,968 |
| Burlington | 2,404 | 1,345 | 3,749 |
| Camden | 2,885 | 1,566 | 4,451 |
| Cape May | 470 | 209 | 679 |
| Cumberland | 979 | 479 | 1,458 |
| Essex | 5,215 | 2,693 | 7,908 |
| Gloucester | 1,183 | 700 | 1,883 |
| Hudson | 2,838 | 1,196 | 4,034 |
| Hunterdon | 731 | 309 | 1,040 |
| Mercer | 1,679 | 889 | 2,568 |
| Middlesex | 3,722 | 2,309 | 6,031 |
| Monmouth | 3,433 | 1,794 | 5,227 |
| Morris | 3,167 | 1,275 | 4,442 |
| Ocean | 1,842 | 717 | 2,559 |
| Passaic | 2,769 | 1,190 | 3,959 |
| Salem | 549 | 340 | 889 |
| Somerset | 1,374 | 848 | 2,222 |
| Sussex | 801 | 440 | 1,241 |
| Union | 2,840 | 1,952 | 4,792 |
| Warren | 620 | 300 | 920 |
| Total | 45,686 | 24,007 | 69,693 |

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TABLE XXI

INSTRUCTIONAL ROOMS AVAILABLE AND NEEDED IN
NEW JERSEY PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS
BY COUNTY
SEPTEMBER 29, 1978

| COUNTY | ROOMS AVAILABLE | | | ADDITIONAL ROOMS NEEDED | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | IN USE | NOT IN USE | TOTAL | FOR EXCESS ENROLLMENT | For Replacement of Sub-Standard Rooms | TOTAL |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) |
| Atlantic | 1,659 | 14 | 1,673 | 133 | 37 | 170 |
| Bergen | 7,934 | 34 | 7,968 | 89 | 101 | 190 |
| Burlington | 3,717 | 32 | 3,749 | 61 | 62 | 123 |
| Camden | 4,341 | 110 | 4,451 | 94 | 54 | 148 |
| Cape May | 675 | 4 | 679 | 10 | 33 | 43 |
| Cumberland | 1,454 | 4 | 1,458 | 12 | 49 | 61 |
| Essex | 7,838 | 70 | 7,908 | 179 | 145 | 324 |
| Gloucester | 1,871 | 12 | 1,883 | 161 | 28 | 189 |
| Hudson | 3,987 | 47 | 4,034 | 82 | 52 | 134 |
| Hunterdon | 1,037 | 3 | 1,040 | 24 | 9 | 33 |
| Mercer | 2,550 | 18 | 2,568 | 41 | 5 | 46 |
| Middlesex | 5,992 | 39 | 6,031 | 33 | 50 | 83 |
| Monmouth | 5,206 | 21 | 5,227 | 114 | 86 | 200 |
| Morris | 4,414 | 28 | 4,442 | 87 | 37 | 124 |
| Ocean | 2,555 | 4 | 2,559 | 334 | 69 | 403 |
| Passaic | 3,929 | 30 | 3,959 | 41 | 55 | 96 |
| Salem | 877 | 12 | 889 | 7 | 2 | 9 |
| Somerset | 2,208 | 14 | 2,222 | 39 | 14 | 53 |
| Sussex | 1,209 | 32 | 1,241 | 42 | 26 | 68 |
| Union | 4,768 | 24 | 4,792 | 24 | 70 | 94 |
| Warren | 876 | 44 | 920 | 22 | 38 | 60 |
| Total | 69,097 | 596 | 69,693 | 1,629 | 1,022 | 2,651 |

TABLE XXII

## ESTIMATED COST OF NEW JERSEY PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS AND YEAR BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED

SEPTEMBER 29, 1978

| COUNTY | NUMBER OF PROJECTS | TOTAL ESTIMATED COST OF ALL PROJECTS (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS) | NUMBER OF PROJECTS FOR WHICH BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | 78-79 | 79-80 | 80-81 | 81-82 |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) |
| Atlantic | 32 | $29,754 | 12 | 14 | 4 | 4 |
| Bergen | 85 | 30,842 | 42 | 35 | 13 | 7 |
| Burlington | 33 | 16,864 | 11 | 16 | 5 | 1 |
| Camden | 43 | 11,673 | 23 | 10 | 6 | 5 |
| Cape May | 11 | 9,557 | 6 | 5 | 1 | 1 |
| Cumberland | 14 | 12,674 | 9 | 7 | | |
| Essex | 66 | 62,145 | 17 | 26 | 22 | 10 |
| Gloucester | 44 | 33,454 | 17 | 20 | 6 | 5 |
| Hudson | 66 | 9,850 | 24 | 23 | 15 | 7 |
| Hunterdon | 22 | 12,198 | 17 | 5 | 1 | |
| Mercer | 23 | 8,579 | 15 | 7 | | 1 |
| Middlesex | 124 | 12,894 | 58 | 65 | 7 | 4 |
| Monmouth | 82 | 23,878 | 39 | 30 | 9 | 2 |
| Morris | 137 | 36,322 | 66 | 43 | 23 | 21 |
| Ocean | 67 | 35,744 | 32 | 25 | 7 | 3 |
| Passaic | 39 | 9,980 | 18 | 12 | 8 | 1 |
| Salem | 24 | 4,399 | 5 | 7 | 12 | |
| Somerset | 11 | 9,434 | 3 | 6 | 1 | 1 |
| Sussex | 32 | 18,604 | 21 | 13 | 10 | 7 |
| Union | 103 | 10,393 | 51 | 28 | 22 | 9 |
| Warren | 26 | 8,824 | 14 | 4 | 10 | |
| Total | 1,084 | $408,062 | 500 | 401 | 182 | 89 |

# APPENDIX

# (INSTRUMENTS USED TO

# COLLECT FALL SURVEY DATA)

NJDE 911-47C(3/79)

# Consolidated Enrollment Report: CURRENT SCHOOL ENROLLMENT DATA

As of September 28, 1979

MIS 03E001
Exp. Date 6/30/80



County _____ Code ☐☐ District _____ Code ☐☐☐☐ School _____ Code ☐☐☐ Type Code ☐☐

## A ON ROLL BY GRADE, RACE AND SEX

| | GRADE | White* | | Black* | | Hispanic | | American Indian or Alaskan Native | | Asian or Pacific Islander | | ALL STUDENTS | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | M | F | M | F | M | F | M | F | M | F | M | F | TOTAL**** |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) |
| A01 | Pre-Kindergarten | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| A02 | Kindergarten | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| A03 | One | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| A04 | Two | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| A05 | Three | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| A06 | Four | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| A07 | Five | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| A08 | Six | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| A09 | Seven | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| A10 | Eight | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| A11 | Nine | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| A12 | Ten | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| A13 | Eleven | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| A14 | Twelve | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| A15 | Post-Graduate | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| A16 | Special Education** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| A17 | Ungraded | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| A18 | TOTAL | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| A19 | Shared Time Students Received*** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

## B AVAILABLE PROGRAMS

| | PROGRAM | CHECK (✓) |
|---|---|---|
| | (1) | (2) |
| B01 | State Compensatory | |
| B02 | Community Service | |
| B03 | Gifted/Talented | |
| B04 | Advanced Placement | |
| B05 | Special Education | |
| B06 | Bilingual | |
| B07 | Shared Time | |
| B08 | Continuing Education | |
| B09 | Alternate School | |
| B10 | Open Classroom | |
| B11 | Pregnant Students | |
| B12 | Vocational Education | |
| B13 | Industrial Arts | |
| B14 | Introduction to Vocations | |
| B15 | Technology for Children | |

C. Number of students who are from homes with income of less than $6,810 (for N.D.S.L).

*Non-Hispanic
**Include here only student housed in special education classes
***Count each shared time student received as ONE
****District Total must agree with State Aid Application. Reason(s) for differences must be explained in writing.

COPY DISTRIBUTION
1 WHITE State Copy
2 CANARY County Copy
3 PINK District Copy
4 GREEN School Copy

PREPARED BY _____ TELEPHONE NUMBER _____

SIGNATURE CHIEF SCHOOL ADMINISTRATOR _____ DATE _____

NJDE 911-47E(3/79)

Consolidated Enrollment Report: DROPOUT INFORMATION; SUSPENSIONS AND EXPULSIONS
For Period September 1, 1978 to August 31, 1979



MIS 03E002
Exp. Date 6/30/80

County _____ Code ☐☐ District _____ Code ☐☐☐ School _____ Code ☐☐☐ Type Code ☐☐

| REASON FOR DROPOUT | | White* | | Black* | | Hispanic | | American Indian/ Alaskan Native | | Asian or Pacific Islander | | ALL DROPOUTS | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | M | F | M | F | M | F | M | F | M | F | M | F | TOTAL |
| (1) | | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) |
| D01 | Physical Illness | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D05 | Behavioral Difficulty | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D06 | Academic Difficulty | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D07 | Lack of Appropriate Curriculum | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D08 | Poor Student-Staff Relationships | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D09 | Poor Relationships with Fellow Students | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D10 | Dislike of School Experience | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D11 | Parental Influence | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D12 | Need at Home | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D13 | Economic Reasons | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D14 | Employment | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D15 | Marriage | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D16 | Pregnancy | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D17 | Religion | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D18 | Other Known Reason | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D19 | Reason Unknown | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D20 | TOTAL DROPOUTS | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D21 | New Residence: School Status Unknown | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D22 | Pupils suspended at least one school day** during the 1978-79 school year. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

| Last Grade of Membership | Total Dropouts from Grade |
|---|---|
| (15) | (16) |
| Pre-K | |
| Kindergarten | |
| One | |
| Two | |
| Three | |
| Four | |
| Five | |
| Six | |
| Seven | |
| Eight | |
| Nine | |
| Ten | |
| Eleven | |
| Twelve | |
| Post-Grad. | |
| Special Ed. | |
| Ungraded | |
| TOTAL | |

D25
Number of Pupils Expelled by the Board of Education.
_____

*NON HISPANIC
**COUNT EACH PUPIL ONLY ONCE.

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# Consolidated Enrollment Report: FOLLOW–UP OF HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

For Period September 1, 1978 to August 31, 1979

MIS 03E004
Exp. Date 6/30/80

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County ____ Code ☐☐ District ____ Code ☐☐☐☐ School ____ Code ☐☐☐ Type Code ☐☐

| | LOCATION OF GRADUATE | White* | | Black* | | Hispanic | | American Indian/ Alaskan Native | | Asian or Pacific Islander | | ALL GRADUATES | | | Total Graduates Who Are: | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | M | F | M | F | M | F | M | F | M | F | M | F | TOTAL | IN STATE | OUT OF STATE |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) |
| 01 | Four-Year College or University | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 02 | Two-Year College | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 03 | Service Academy | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 04 | Other Type College | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 05 | Business or Secretarial School | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 06 | Cosmetology or Barber School | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 07 | Art School | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 08 | Nursing School | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 09 | Technical, Trade or Vocational School | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 10 | Industry Sponsored School | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 11 | Other Post-Secondary | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 12 | Additional Secondary School | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 13 | Apprenticeship or On-The-Job Training | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 14 | Employment | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 15 | Government Service | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 16 | Homemaking | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 17 | Unemployed | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 18 | Deceased | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 19 | Location Unknown | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 20 | TOTAL | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 21 | Number of Above Graduates Who were in special classes for the Handicapped | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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# SCHOOL FACILITIES DATA

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FALL REPORT
1979

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## INSTRUCTIONAL ROOMS – ADEQUACY AND NEEDS

1. Student Data (1979-80 School Year)
   - A. School Functional Capacity (Permanent Facilities) _____
   - B. Total Enrollment (9/28/79) _____
   - C. Excess Enrollment (Item B – A) _____
   - D. Is School on Split or Curtailed Session: _____YES _____NO
2. Number of Instructional Rooms (1978-79 School Year)
   - A. Available at beginning of last school year: July 1, 1978 _____
   - B. Abandoned during 1978-79 (–)_____
   - C. Lost by conversion 1978-79 (–)_____
   - D. Gained by conversion 1978-79 (+)_____
   - E. Added and occupied 1978-79 (New and Temporary) (+)_____
   - F. Total instructional rooms available at the end of last school year (June 29, 1979) _____
   - G. Total instructional rooms available and not in use during the 1978-79 school year _____
3. Additional Instructional Rooms Needed as of July 2, 1979 and beyond
   - A. For excess enrollment (As per Item 1C, above) _____
   - B. To replace sub-standard and/or emergency rooms _____

## 4. CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR FISCAL YEARS 1979-80 to 1982-83
(IN THOUSANDS $)

| District Priority | Project Code | PROJECT TITLE | ESTIMATED PROJECT COST | FISCAL YEAR BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED (X) | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | 1979-80 | 1980-81 | 1981-82 | 1982-83 * |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) |
| | | | | | | | |
| | | TOTAL | | | | | |

*Estimated Cost of all Projects For Which Bids Will Be Received Beyond Fiscal Year 1983

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